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## Residents will raise a toast to new 'pub'

RESIDENTS at a Great Wyrley care home will toast the opening of their very own pub this weekend.

Waters Edge Care Home, in Stafford Road, is officially opening its onsite 'pub', The Lakeside Returns, on Saturday (September 15).

Staff at Waters Edge, owned by Alpha Care Homes, created the pub by converting a room in the home complete with its own bar, optics and dart board.

Waters Edge receptionist Kate Wingate said: "One of our members of staff came up with the idea at the start of the year and everyone thought it was brilliant. The residents can remember enjoying going to the pub and playing darts or cards with a drink."

### Traditional

"We raised some money and it went from a small idea to actually happening."

Kate added: "It wasn't really being used to its full potential so we've made it look like a traditional pub used to look like."

"We can't pull any pints as we don't have a licence, but residents are able to consume their own alcohol in there while enjoying a game of darts, cards or dominoes, or just chatting to their friends and families."

To mark its opening, the home is holding a Hawaiian theme day where residents and staff will dress up and special food will be served.

## Break-ins at football

THIEVES targeted a string of cars while football fans watched a match at Chasetown Football Club.

A Bible, sat navs, iPods, tools and handbags were stolen. At least seven cars were broken in to, many of them during the Chasetown versus Market Drayton FA Cup clash at the Scholars Ground in Church Street, from 3-5pm last Saturday.

Stadium safety officer Mark Prince said around four or five were broken in to at the club itself.

# POLICE IN PLEDGE OVER TOWN CRIME

by Charlotte Lilley

**POLICE have pledged to use 'every resource available' to them to make sure residents in Hednesford are safe from crime.**

At a community forum meeting, Chief Inspector Carl Ratcliffe revealed residents were satisfied with how crime was being dealt with. Figures show 80 per cent of people now feel safe in the area during the day.

He told Monday's meeting, held at the Museum of Cannock Chase, in Valley Road, said: "Our main priorities are to reduce crime and disorder, protect the public from harm."

## Big crowd set to line streets for cycle heroes

A RECORD crowd was today expected to watch the nation's cycling heroes race through the Chase for Stage Five of the Tour of Britain.

Olympic gold medallist and Tour de France winner Bradley Wiggins and world champion Mark Cavendish – the Stage Three winner – will be among those battling it out in the race.

It will pass through Stone, Stafford, Cannock Chase and Rugeley, with highlights including a sprint section out of Stone and King of the Mountains stretch through the Chase.

Thousands of people are set to line the streets and road closures were being put in place.

Fans were able to get autographs from the stars before the start at Trentham Gardens. But supporters driving to vantage points were today warned to get there early. Stafford Road Club is providing marshals for part of the 92-mile Staffordshire stage.

"This is the first chance people will have to see the stars of the British team after their epic season," said honorary secretary Alistair Semple.

"It's fantastic to have Bradley Wiggins and Mark Cavendish as well as the many Spanish and Italian cycling stars riding through the county."

"Whether there will be a record turn-out might depend on the weather but it's very likely to be, and the atmosphere will be like no other year."

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"We want to make Cannock Chase a safer place to live in and a high percentage of local people are now satisfied with how crime is dealt with."

Community members were reassured the force were using every resource available to them and protective measures were being put in place.

"Staffordshire Police are doing all they can to make sure you do not become a victim of crime," Ch Insp Ratcliffe said.

"We are working with other members of the Cannock Chase Community Safety Partnership to identify vulnerable people and protect them in any way we can, whether this means changing smoke alarms or replacing dangerous appliances in their homes."

### Guaranteed

"I am charged with using the resources I've got and you can be guaranteed I'll be using them to make sure you are all safe in Hednesford."

He also revealed a successful campaign by Staffordshire Police had led to a reduction in the number of drug dens in Hednesford. Operation Nemesis has been tried and tested in the area as a way of targeting houses with high drug use and cracking down on drug dealers.

Ch Insp Ratcliffe, said: "It does not matter whether these houses are privately owned or rented, we will close them down if there is any sign of drug activity."

Staffordshire Police have carried out numerous warrants during the last few months, with large amounts of drugs and money being seized.

Ch Insp Ratcliffe, said: "We recently targeted drug dealers at a premises in Cannock and seized £15,000 in cocaine and £2,000 in cash under the Proceeds of Crime Act. The money that we confiscated will eventually be recycled and put back into the community for the benefit of local people."

## Global fun for youngsters



Jaydon Bond, Sophie Wall and Daniel Lee, all aged two, dress up in costumes from other countries for the Around the World project at Horn End Nursery

A NURSERY in Rugeley enjoyed a day of cultural activities as part of an event to get children thinking about different countries.

Horn End Nursery, Wharf Road, held a party for Tommy Thumbs toddler group that included making flags, listening to music and dressing up. Parents designed

fancy dress costumes and the children were encouraged to try dishes from around the world including onion bhajis and croissants. Team leader Becky Murphy said: "The children had a fantastic day and enjoyed dressing up, tasting the various foods and dancing to the music."

## Funding tips from Lottery experts

COMMUNITY groups can get a helping hand on applying for funds at an event in Rugeley next week.

The free event, to promote Big Lottery fund grant schemes, takes place at Lea Hall Miners' Club in Sandy Lane, from 10am to 1pm on Friday, September 28.

It has been arranged by Chase MP Aidan Burley in partnership with the Big Lottery Fund, whose representatives will present their current funding schemes and give tips on strengthening future grant applications.

Mr Burley said: "I often get local groups contacting me with excellent ideas about how they can improve the local community but are facing difficulties accessing support and funding to help make these ideas a reality."

### Worthwhile

The MP added: "This event is my attempt to bring together those local groups and the Big Lottery Fund to hopefully secure many more funding grants for many of the worthwhile causes working across Cannock Chase."

Interested groups should contact Jodie Jones on 01543 502 447 or on email at jodie.jones@parliament.uk by no later than 5pm on Friday September 21.

Places are limited and applications will be on a first-come first-served basis.

## Cigs stolen in store raid

RAIDERS made off with a quantity of cigarettes in a late-night robbery at a Great Wyrley store.

It happened at the Tesco Express, Walsall Road, just as staff were about to lock up at 11pm on Tuesday.

One of the three balacava-clad offenders carried a distinctive yellow handled axe. No one was hurt.

Their silver Vauxhall Vectra was found abandoned shortly after in nearby Lea Lane and the robbers fled in a small blue hatchback. Witnesses should call 101.



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## MP is dubbed 'unhelpful' over calls

BOSSES at Cannock Chase Hospital say they have not considered selling off parts of the estate following calls from the town's MP.

Cannock Chase MP Aidan Burley is calling on the local authority to buy a 51 per cent controlling stake in the hospital site – as revealed last week in The Chronicle – and move GPs and social services there.

He brought the matter up in the House of Commons. But bosses at

Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust said "spreading fears in this way is not helpful".

Chief executive Lyn Hill-Tout said the idea of selling it was "not even in the bottom drawer".

## Reality

Mr Burley said: "The reality is it costs about £32 million a year to run, including pay and fixed costs such as lighting and heating but it only pulls

in £24 million through its provision of healthcare to local commissioners."

Cannock Chase District Council officers said the authority was "determined to see the long-term future of Cannock Chase Hospital secured".

But the council's health leader Councillor Muriel Davis said: "The council will play its part in the working group being set up by Aidan Burley, MP for Cannock Chase, to

discuss the hospital's financial viability.

"However, it's very unclear at this stage how the council is expected to raise the money to take a controlling stake in the hospital, or indeed whether this is feasible or the best way forward."

Mrs Hill-Tout said: "We are continuing to invest in services at Cannock and want these services to grow."

## A&amp;E deemed still not safe for full reopening

HEALTH bosses have decided not to reopen the A&E department round-the-clock at Stafford Hospital as had been planned next month.

Managers overseeing healthcare across Staffordshire decided it would be unsafe to allow a 24-hour service to be reinstated.

## Chiefs can be quizzed in meeting at hospital

PEOPLE can quiz health bosses at a public meeting on Cannock Chase Hospital next month.

The meeting takes place on Monday, October 8 and has been organised by Cannock Chase Conservative MP Aidan Burley.

It follows an announcement the kitchens at Cannock Chase Hospital are set to close, with food transported 11 miles from Stafford.

The move has sparked a petition calling for the Brunswick Road hospital not to be downgraded. It has already gone from nine wards in the 1980s to just two now.

More than 2,000 people have signed a petition against the plans.

Mr Burley said: "Cannock Hospital is a vital service for the people of Cannock Chase and they have a right to question hospital bosses about what plans are being made for its future."

"I hope that this meeting will allow local people to get all the answers and reassurances they need."

The public meeting will take place in the Davy Unit of Cannock Hospital from 7pm to 8.30pm.

A healthcare commission meeting on Tuesday heard there were still concerns that there were not enough senior doctors to ensure safety in A&E.

The verdict is a blow as trust board members revealed last week that they believed they were ready to resume 24-hour emergency care.

It means patients will continue to travel to Walsall Manor between 10pm and 8am, when Stafford is shut.

Lyn Hill-Tout, chief executive of Mid Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust, said: "We will continue to work with our commissioners to deliver 24/7 local services for our community."

## Experts

The department closed between 10pm and 8am last December.

Health bosses said they had seen an overall reduction in patients using A&E for minor injury or illnesses during the overnight closure period.

Meanwhile, financial experts are being called in to try and balance the books of the trust which runs Stafford and Cannock Chase hospitals. Firms offering financial advice, accountancy and legal services are being called in to help the trust run services.

The experts will deliver a report by next spring. The most severe recommendation could be to place the trust into special administration.

Health watchdog Monitor said the review was aimed at protecting patient services.

## Ex-Olympian inspires pupils



Former Olympian Alan Rapley with pupils from Chasetown Community School

A FORMER Team GB swimmer dropped by a Burntwood school to inspire pupils to carry on the legacy of the Olympics.

Former Olympian Alan Rapley, aged 42, swam for Great Britain at the 1996 Games.

This week he met with students at Chasetown Community School in Church Street.

Anne Westoby, the school's HR data and ICT manager, said: "He talked to pupils

about lots of things, what he ate when he was training and things like that."

"Alan gave the children a presentation based on his life and then talked to classes. He also told them how he turned failures into positives."

"It was all to do with the legacy of the Olympics and is part of the Be the Best You Can Be scheme."

## Over limit driver gets 10 months in custody

A 20-YEAR-OLD woman with no driving experience caught behind the wheel of a car while over the drink-drive limit has been locked up for 10 months.

Sian Murrie took her friend's sister's car out on the roads in Cannock while the owner was on holiday, Stafford crown court heard.

Police spotted the Fiat 'kangarooing' along Brunswick Road in Cannock in the early hours of July 27, prosecutor Pat Sullivan said. The vehicle had no lights on and had a damaged wing mirror.

When officers stopped it, Murrie got out of the driving seat and police detected the smell of alcohol.

## Reading

A roadside breath test was positive and a subsequent test gave a reading of 66mg per 100ml of breath, nearly twice the legal limit of 35mg.

The defendant told the police she had no driving licence and the car did not belong to her. Its owner was on holiday and Murrie had no permission to drive it.

Murrie, of Bowes Drive, Cannock, was sent to youth custody after admitted driving with excess alcohol, aggravated vehicle taking and driving without a licence and without insurance.

She also admitted breaching a suspended sentence imposed last October for a racially aggravated assault on a Polish woman in U-Bar.

## Chairman's charity bash

A DAY of fundraising at a Cannock restaurant raised £600 for Cancer Research UK.

The variety show featured belly dancing and tribute acts and was held at Blue Ginger Indian restaurant in Stafford Road, Huntington on August 12.

It was hosted by chairman of Cannock Chase Council Bob Todd who has chosen to raise funds for the charity during his year in office.

## Riders saddle up

MEMBERS of Walsall Cyclists' Touring Club are travelling 12 miles from South Shore Cafe at Chasetown Country Park at 9.30am on Saturday. The following day the group will cycle to Marquis Drive visitor Centre in Cannock Chase for morning coffee.

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## Market is beating recession

PENKRIDGE market bosses say visitor numbers are up on last year, despite the summer's bad weather and struggling economy.

Owner Liz Williams said the bank holiday markets and car boot sales in particular had been a huge success, even though it has rained each time.

She said market traders had also noticed the increase in visitor numbers and there is now an waiting list for the stalls.

She said: "We are so proud that even in this difficult economic, and wet, climate, we are still busy and thriving."

### Extra

Market manager Matt Williams said there had been an extra 1,000 people coming to the markets on last year.

He said: "The markets have taken more than last year too, and for that we are looking at a 15 per cent rise."

Penkridge Market is celebrating its 20th Anniversary on October 27 with a one-off event taking place from 9am and 4pm.

The shies stages a Victorian Christmas Market every year. This year's is on November 30 and looks set to be the biggest Christmas market on record at the site - with more than 100 stalls.

## Trust holds first AGM

A HEALTH trust is inviting people to its first annual general meeting next week.

Staffordshire and Stoke on Trent Partnership NHS Trust is holding the summit from 6-8pm on Monday, September 17.

Rodbaston Hall in Rodbaston Drive, Penkridge, is the venue.

Chief executive Stuart Poyner said: "We hope as many people as possible will be able to attend to find out more about the services we provide."

## Follow Dogs for Pied Piper date

MODERN indie rock band The Rock Dogs will be playing live at the Pied Piper, Pye Green Road, Cannock next Friday, September 21.

The lads play covers from the likes of Kings of Leon, Cee-Lo Green, Foo Fighters, Stereophonics and Oasis and will be on stage from 9pm.

# Employment boost thanks to £8m scheme

BUSINESSES across Cannock Chase are being helped to create new jobs under a new business support programme created under partnership by the district council.

The £8 million programme, which is due to start next month, is aimed at helping small and medium sized enterprises expand.

The programme will involve a partnership between Cannock Chase council, Greater Birmingham and Solihull Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) meaning that more than 200 businesses across the region will be able to apply and receive up to £15,000.

Available until June 2015, the project is expected to create more than 400 new jobs and

safeguard in excess of 400 more. The council's economic development leader, Councillor Gordon Alcott, urged local businesses with aspirations of growth and expansion to get in touch.

He said: "This programme will really help businesses in Cannock Chase to grow and flourish."

### Uniform

Meanwhile, the council this week confirmed it intends to pool its business rates with other local authorities to help release much needed funds back into the area.

The new scheme created by the Department for Local Communities and Government allows authorities to retain money locally from the

uniform business rate instead of it being sent to central government.

With the council seeing cuts of nearly £3m to its annual budget, hopes are that this much needed cash injection will allow the council to re-invest in the area.

Both Birmingham and Solihull LEP will be involved in the regional pool.

Councillor Alcott said: "Our decision has been made with the long-term economic interests of Cannock Chase district at heart. Pooling our rates with the LEP has the potential to generate greater investment for Cannock Chase than if we went alone under the Business Rates Retention Scheme."



Councillor Gordon Alcott

# Family moving out to make way for new £3m footbridge

A FAMILY is moving from its home to pave the way for a new £3 million steel footbridge in the heart of Cannock Chase.

The bridge is to replace the current level crossing amid safety concerns for hundreds of cyclists and walkers.

Resident Wendy Emery and her family are now moving to a new address in Stoke-on-Trent after striking a deal with Network Rail. The company says it does not yet know what it will do with the property.

by Craig Hughes

Under plans the pathway from the crossing to Mrs Emery's home in Marquis Drive would be blocked off once the bridge is in place.

A safer crossing has become necessary due to the introduction of a 15-mile, award-winning mountain bike trail through the forest. It has boosted cyclists to more than 3,000 at weekends after being launched two years ago.

### Useful

Mother-of-two Mrs Emery said she did not have objections with Network Rail and wanted to see the house used as a community facility.

She added: "I would like the house to become something useful, maybe it could be used by Duke of Edinburgh students as they have a lot of that taking place nearby."

"It would be sad to see it out of use and completely boarded up."

Network Rail spokesman Keith Lumley said: "We don't know what we will do with the property yet."

"Whether it will be demol-

ished or sold on, it's too early to say."

Other neighbours living close to the proposed bridge Jane and Tim Jordan said they did not want it there and were concerned over safety.

Mrs Jordan, aged 48, said: "It doesn't really fit in with the landscape. We are going to see it, and don't want to see it, but would rather look at the bridge than have an accident on the line."

The existing level crossing is a designated public footpath across the rail line but was not designed for the number now using it.

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The railway line runs parallel to the A460 Hednesford to Rugeley Road. The new bridge would be 262ft south of the existing level crossing.

A decision was to be made yesterday (Wednesday) with Cannock Chase Council recommending approval.



Kennel hand Jane Worsley is looking for a new home for Roly Poly and Pudding

## Fat cats looking for new owners

MEET Roly Poly and Pudding, two fat cats who have indulged in one too many treats.

Both moggies survived for a month without food after their owner died and were found still tipping the scales at one-and-a-half stone.

They are now looking for their very own personal trainers to take them on.

The cats were found at their home in Great Wyrley after neighbours alerted the police with concerns about their owner.

It is believed the animals had been home alone for around a month but were able to rely on their fat reserves to survive.

### Diet

RSPCA bosses say they are now looking for new owners, preferably ones on a diet themselves or keen on keep fit to help get the pair lose weight.

The cats, which are 18 months and three-years old, are now in a private foster home in Stoke.

It is believed their owner was in hospital and passed away but there was no one to look after them.

Anyone who thinks they could give the cats a good home should call the RSPCA on 0300 123 4999.

## Salon's coffee morning

A TANNING salon in Cannock will host a MacMillan coffee morning. Florida Sun Tanning and Beauty, Grove Park Industrial Estate, North Street, Bridgton, will hold the event on Friday 28 September at 11am until 4pm where visitors will be able to enjoy a cup of coffee and a chat. All money raised will go towards MacMillan Cancer Support.

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## THE BEST OF PETER RHODES



SO FAREWELL, Max Bygraves. He was a link with that curious post-war age of innocence when a pop star could make a record about a pink toothbrush and a blue toothbrush, and the rest of us would rush out to buy it. How times change.

HOWEVER hard we try, we cannot avoid looking at paralympic athletes in a particular way. With an able-bodied star, we first look at the face and then the whole body. As the paralympic athletes line up, our eyes wander over each limb in turn until we see the disability. It is human nature to be so inquisitive but the full body-scan we reserve for disabled athletes must irritate them intensely.

AND so, I guess, must be constantly referred to as brave, heroic, courageous or plucky. Most paralympians are simply hard-working and determined to make the best of a bad deal. And the disabled soldiers in the GB team will tell you, as soldiers throughout history have told us, that the real heroes are their mates who never came home.

WORST job of the Cabinet reshuffle, as the petrol bombs and rubber bullets fly yet again, is surely that of Northern Ireland Secretary, awarded to the luckless Theresa Villiers. It must be like taking over a huge, dysfunctional kindergarten.

A READER reflects on that historic moment in 1969 when the late, great Neil Armstrong planted the American flag on the surface of the moon. He wonders whether this was the only time in history that anyone has raised the Stars and Stripes outside the United States without lots of people getting killed.

THE big investment banks report that they are obliged to pay graduates up to £45,000 a year to lure them into an industry which has such a bad name. But why are they recruiting graduates at all? Capitalism follows a cycle of rising greed followed by collapse. In the banking game, long memories are a great asset because the more people who remember the agonies of the last crash, the better are the chances of avoiding the next one. We need a law banning investment banks from recruiting anyone under 70.

CLEAR blue water is appearing between Barack Obama and his Republican challenger Mitt Romney. Or to be more accurate, clear golden nectar. Romney is a Mormon and a teetotaler. Obama, it was revealed this week, has his own beer brewed at a micro-brewery in the White House. Suddenly, according to the polls, the States is warming to its President. As the aptly-named pundit Harry Wallop observes this week: "If your opponent's strongest drink is mint tea, you've got Wyoming in the bag before anyone's cast a vote." Let us hope so. The idea of an American president, the most powerful man in the world, believing that real ale is the work of the Devil sets all sorts of alarm bells ringing.

WHAT a joy it was to see the rare pine martens on The One Show (BBC1). These home-grown charmers are every bit as endearing as meerkats and do not try to sell you insurance.

**Don't miss Peter Rhodes every Monday to Friday in your Express & Star**

# Tributes as former Chase MP knighted

CANNOCK Chase MP Aidan Burley has congratulated one of his predecessors on his knighthood.

Gerald Howarth was recognised for his 25 years of public service and is the second former Cannock MP to be given such an honour, the first being Lord Patrick Cunnock who served as MP for Cannock from 1970-74.

A qualified private pilot, Sir Gerald was first elected for the then Cannock and Burntwood constituency at the 1983 General Election and served for nine

years. He took a break from Parliament for five years before being elected MP for Aldershot in 1997.

Sir Gerald was Parliamentary Private Secretary to Michael Spicer when Under-Secretary of State at the Department of Energy from 1987-90, and as Minister of State for Department of the Environment in 1990.

He also served as PPS to Margaret Thatcher from December 1991 to April 92. Most recently, Sir Gerald served as Minister for International Security

Strategy. Paying tribute, current Cannock Chase Conservative MP Aidan Burley said: "I am thrilled that Gerald has finally been recognised for his 25 years of dedicated public service including his time as MP for Cannock and Burntwood."

"I know that Gerald continues to take a deep interest in Cannock Chase. He has also taken a close interest in the future of Cannock Hospital, particularly given his instrumental role in getting the hospital to Cannock in the first place"



Sir Gerald Howarth

# Ex-pitman appointed to top post in Cabinet

FROM a former Cannock schoolboy to a hard-grafting miner at Littleton pit, Patrick McLoughlin now has one of the biggest and most important jobs in the Government.

The 54-year-old ex-miner has been appointed as transport secretary in David Cameron's first cabinet shake-up and will take his place at the top table of politics.

Formerly the Government's Chief Whip, father-of-two Mr McLoughlin will handle some of the biggest political issues facing the coalition, including the £32bn high-speed rail line and the franchise change for the West Coast Rail line.

Colleagues past and present paid tribute, saying he was a "miner done good". Even the PM announced in the Commons: "I've done something that New Labour never managed, I've taken a miner, put him in the cabinet and he's running the railways."

## Ranks

Conservative Mr McLoughlin, who used to live in Hednesford, was elected as a councillor in Cannock Chase from 1980 and served on Staffordshire County Council from 1981 to 1987.

In 1983, he fought for the Wolverhampton South East seat in the General Election but became MP for West Derbyshire in 1986.

A former pupil at Cardinal Griffin RC High School and Staffordshire College of Agriculture at Rodbaston College, Mr McLoughlin was transport minister from 1989 and 1992.

He is no stranger to controversy, however, breaking ranks to continue working during the 1984 miner's strike and speaking at the Tory Party Conference where he announced he was a miner.

Long-serving Labour councillor for Cannock North Gordon Alcott was on Cannock Chase Council at the same time as Mr McLoughlin.

"He's done well," he said. "He was one of a few miners from Littleton Colliery in Cannock who worked during the miner's strike and he was one of Margaret Thatcher's pro-



The newly named Transport Secretary Patrick McLoughlin shares a joke with Conservative colleagues



As a miner in 1982 at the end of his shift at Littleton Colliery



Pat McLoughlin arrives at Downing Street for a Cabinet meeting



Winning the West Derbyshire parliamentary by-election in 1986

tegees." Mr McLoughlin, who has been married to Lynn since 1984, will now face the issue of the controversial HS2 train line, which cuts through parts of Staffordshire.

## Runway

He will also have to wrestle with the issue of a new runway at Heathrow Airport.

Aidan Burley, Conservative MP for Cannock Chase, said Mr McLoughlin was a "local boy made good".

"It's great for Patrick," he said. "We have a cabinet full of many old

Etonians and Oxbridge graduates and to have a man with working class roots at the top table is great.

"I'm proud as a Cannock Chase MP that a former pitman from Cannock is now one of the most senior politicians and is running a big and important department."

Stafford Conservative MP Jeremy Lefroy had met with Mr McLoughlin's predecessor Justin Greening to push for an HS2 stop in North Staffordshire.

He said he would continue to press the issue while the controversial scheme was in the planning

stages. "I'm a great admirer of Mr McLoughlin," said Mr Lefroy.

"He's shown himself to be a very good Chief Whip and extremely fair in all the dealings I've had with him."

"As secretary of state, he has got to view things in the national point of view."

The appointment of Mr McLoughlin, the eighth transport secretary in eight years, has also been welcomed by the Stop HS2 campaign group.

The group claims Mr McLoughlin is "considered to be sympathetic to countryside issues and is a keen walker".

# Check-up offer on health of bunnies

A GREAT Wyrley vets hopes to keep bunnies bouncing when it carries out free rabbit health checks.

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# Aldi store in recruitment

MORE than 40 new jobs have been created across Staffordshire following a recruitment day held by a supermarket retailer Aldi.

The discount store reported long queues at a recruitment day held at the Holiday Inn Express hotel, Lichfield, after it advertised for around 45 new positions at branches in Cannock and Rugeley as well in Brownhills, Lichfield and Tamworth.

Area manager Aidan Lawrence said around 300 new people had applied.

The supermarket chain's new store in Burntwood is due to open in November.

# Talk on wildlife

NICK Mott will give an illustrated talk on Working for Wetlands Wildlife at the Cannock group of the Staffordshire Wildlife Trust next week. It takes place on Wednesday, September 19 at St. Luke's Church Centre, Cannock at 7.30pm. Entrance is £1.50 which includes refreshments.

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## Onset of upgrade at bridge

WORK has begun to repair a 160-year-old footbridge at the former Hammerwich railway station.

Bolts in the wooden steps are being replaced and beams will be strengthened.

The bridge's makeover has been on the cards for three years after a report was produced calling for Network Rail to include its upkeep in its regular maintenance cycle.

The station at Hammerwich was opened in 1849 by the South Staffordshire Railway Company and was one of the stations which formed the Walsall to Wych-nor South Staffordshire line.

### Closed

It continued to be used by passengers until January 1965 when the Wolverhampton to Burton service was withdrawn and the line's stations, except Lichfield City, closed to passengers.

The full line continued for freight traffic until 1986 after which only a stretch of track was left from Lichfield to Newtown (North Brownhills) for tanker trains serving the Charringtons oil terminal which closed in 2001.

The Anglesea sidings branch was then moth-balled. Although the line is not used, Network Rail is responsible for the upkeep of the infrastructure and land.

## Sheep falls into canal

FIREFIGHTERS had to rescue a sheep by boat after it fell into a canal in Penkridge.

A flock managed to escape from a nearby field and one ventured into the water off Walhouse Drive.

Firefighters, including a specialist animal rescue unit, were called to save the animal at about 8.30pm last Friday (September 7).

A fire service boat was used to help release the animal and the sheep was safely returned to the field along with the others.

## Cycle challenge

WORKERS from Cannock-based Briggs Equipment cycled 345 miles on exercise bikes last weekend to raise money for the Midlands Air Ambulance. Around 50 staff from the forklift truck firm were attempting the feat at Nuffield Health Fitness Centre, in East Cannock Road, Hednesford.

# Impression of new-look college revealed



How the college's Cannock campus will look after the £6m revamp

A COMPUTER generated image has been revealed of how the Cannock campus of South Staffordshire College will look following a £6m transformation.

The historic building in The Green will be able to take on more students and have new facilities that can be used by the community.

Deputy principal Mark Robertson said: "When completed, our new building's architectural features will be enhanced, giving it a

contemporary look to reflect the modern curriculum taught at the campus."

During the refurbishment period, courses will still be delivered in Cannock, either at the nearby Progress Centre at the White House or Crown House in Beecroft Road, which has been leased for one year.

Mr Robertson said: "Much work has been undertaken through the summer to ensure that all learners will continue to

receive the very best learning and teaching in the county."

The complete refurbishment of South Staffordshire College's Cannock Campus is on track for September next year, it is believed.

The project will offer improved public access to the ground floor facilities including a café, hair and beauty salons and Gordon's Restaurant where students prepare and serve a range of meals.

# Green belt concerns over cuts to planning red tape

**THE COALITION'S big idea to cut planning red tape to boost jobs and housebuilding has set alarm bells ringing among those who wish to keep the green belt protected.**

Chancellor George Osborne has suggested developers could be allowed to use the green belt while Prime Minister David Cameron says he is frustrated by the "hoops" developers have to jump through to get things done and by the "not in my back yard" mentality of people who object to new developments.

Number 10 stresses the more relaxed approach will not mean an open season for developers. It says the green belt will still have protection attached to it.

Mr Cameron is determined that the construction industry will drive Britain's recovery and his government is planning to consult on allowing people to build larger extensions on houses.

Rules requiring developers to build affordable housing as part of major developments are also set to be relaxed.

### Deposit

It is the fourth time since the coalition came to power that Downing Street has tried to boost house building.

These latest measures are aimed at creating up to 70,000 new homes, including affordable housing, helping first-time buyers to get onto the housing ladder, creating 140,000 jobs and boosting the construction industry.

The Government is to provide a £40bn guarantee for major infrastructure projects and a £10bn guarantee for house building.

Around 16,500 first-time buyers will get assistance with their deposits under a £280m extension of the FirstBuy scheme.

But behind the statistics is a fear that our green fields are being placed under threat - that the door is being left ajar for developers to build on land that communities have spent years trying to protect.

There are around 6,000 square miles of green belt around our towns and cities. The Treasury wants to allow councils to agree to develop on the green belt in exchange for protecting areas of brownfield land and turning that back into open spaces for wildlife.

The new rules will also mean councils will



Land in Red Lion Lane/Brownhills Road, where permission has been granted despite green belt protection.



A 130-home development will be built on the site in Norton Canes, a former greyhound track that adjoins Chasewater

not be able to order public inquiries into building on green belt - a move likely to be contested by MPs representing rural communities. Developers say the proposals would stimulate the housing market.

### Critical

Ann Crick, sales director at Miller Homes West Midlands, said: "Cutting red tape around planning should help the market gain momentum over the coming months."

Availability of finance also continues to be a key issue for potential purchasers, particu-

larly for first-time buyers who play a critical role in maintaining the market flow."

But MPs and council leaders said they wanted to see brownfield areas redeveloped rather than green belt land. Critics point out that almost nearly 500,000 existing properties nationally have been granted planning permission, but with the economy struggling and a lack of credit finance, only around 100,000 are actually under way.

Conservative MPs said they wanted to see the plans in more detail. Aidan Burley, for Cannock Chase, said: "Cannock Chase is an

area of outstanding natural beauty and will always be protected."

"There's a need for new housing but I've always believed that brownfield sites should be used before the green belt."

South Staffordshire MP Gavin Williamson, said he was seeking meetings with ministers to allay his concerns.

"We've had reassurances that the policy is not about building on the green belt. All governments are keen to encourage house building but it has to be in an appropriate location and sustainable."



Cannock Chase is an area of outstanding natural beauty and will always be protected, says the area's MP Aidan Burley

## NEWS in brief

### Music night from history societies

WYRLEY'S Got Talent singers will be among the acts at a social club music night next week.

The event has been jointly organised by Great Wyrley, Cheslyn Hay and Bridgtown local history societies and takes place at Great Wyrley Sports & Social Club, in Walsall Road, from 8pm on Thursday, September 20.

The night will end with the Eureka jazz band. It will also feature speakers from the three societies on a local music theme and Vaughan Smith and Terry McGrath from Great Wyrley Performing Arts High School.

Tickets are £1 in advance or £2 on the door. Call either 01922 414772 or 01922 418546.

### Former pupils in reunion invitation

FORMER Rugeley pupils can remember the days of the schoolyard next month.

Any former pupil or teacher at Aelfgar School, or its many different guises, is invited to the reunion at the Rugeley Rose Theatre, in Taylors Lane, starting at 7.30pm on Saturday, October 6.

So far around 100 former students and teachers have signed up to attend, but more are urged to get in touch.

Admission is £15, to include a meal and entertainment. Call Lilian Thompson, nee Orton, on 01889 800178 or visit the Aelfgar reunion page on Facebook.

### Demonstration to flower club

A MEMBER of the National Association of Flower Arrangement Societies is giving a demonstration at Penkridge Flower Club next week.

Pat Billing's 'Angles and Tangles' display is at the Peace Memorial Hall, Pinfold Lane, from 7.30pm on Monday, September 17. Admission is free.

There will be a 50/50 stall and a sales table. Raffle tickets will be 50p each and light refreshments will be served.

Call Marie Rowe on 01785 715445 or Margaret Smallman on 01785 712113 for more details.

### Annual craft fair

AN annual autumn craft fair takes place at St Peter's church hall, Church Hill, Hednesford on October 27 from 10am to 1pm. Cost is £5 per table. Call Carole Howard on 01543 423522 to book.

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## NEWS

# Easel-y does it as artist opens studio



Artist Carole Baker gets ready for the Open Studios Weekend at her home in Rugeley Road, Chase Terrace

A CHASE Terrace artist from will be opening her doors to the public this weekend.  
Carole Baker of Rugeley Road, will open up her Sunny-side Studios to showcase her artwork.  
Fellow artists will be joining in with the event as part of the Staffordshire Open Studios enjoy art event.  
Carole, who turned her hobby full-time career in 2007, said: "The idea of Staffordshire Open Studios is that people can come and look around and purchase original artwork if they would like to. I've taken part in the event from the very beginning and it's always really enjoyable."  
Studios across Staffordshire will be open from September 15-16 and again the following weekend from 10am until 5pm.  
For more information visit [www.staffordshireopenstudios.org](http://www.staffordshireopenstudios.org)

# Lack of support criticised

**DISTRICT chiefs have been criticised for failing to support national celebrations, leading to calls for Cannock to have its own town council.**

In a question tabled to next week's community forum, Mike Mellor said Cannock was in the past renowned for its ability to plan and organise memorable town centre celebrations.  
Mr Mellor, of Hatherton Road, said: "Sadly in recent years the town has lagged behind its near neighbours, who

have shown us how it can be done. This fact has not gone unnoticed by the people who live in Cannock and who are expected to support the town."  
He adds: "In view of Cannock's apparent inability to participate not only in the Queen's Diamond Jubilee celebrations, which were held successfully all around the Chase area, undertaken by Traders' Associations assisted by town or parish councils, is it time for Cannock to have its own town council?"  
Mr Mellor said this would be a way of bringing together people who were

passionate about Cannock and hopefully begin to restore prosperity and pride in the town.  
Cannock Chase Council chief executive Stephen Brown will provide the response. The meeting takes place in the council chamber, in Beecroft Road, from 7pm on Tuesday, September 18.  
Also on the agenda will be speeding traffic and whether cameras are in use.  
There will a progress report on Cannock Park, the Asda cash wrangle, parking in Brunswick Road and questions over fire safety and electric blanket testing.

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## NEWS

# Fresh hope over bid for hotel and shops complex

## Aesthetically pleasing



Owner Rachel Morgan, right, with Natalie Mason and other members of staff as Soul Care Aesthetics opens its doors for the first time

A SPECIALIST clinic offering affordable treatments in Cannock is now open for business.

Soul Care Aesthetics, in High Green Court, offers anti-wrinkle solutions, chemical peels and electrical facials as well as permanent hair removal and general beauty treatments. Owner Rachel Morgan, aged 40 said: "We offer higher end treatments and pride ourselves in after care."

"We eventually want to have a training school and have already recruited two nurses who are currently being trained."

**COUNCIL** bosses are resubmitting plans for a £1.5m hotel and shopping complex in Cannock that would create 100 jobs.

The Gallan Park scheme was thrown into doubt after a £750,000 funding bid was rejected in April.

The application is now being resubmitted after a new round of funding from the Growing Places programme run by the Local Enterprise Partnerships was announced.

The scheme, which includes a 60-bedroom Travelodge hotel, was dependent on two grants. The Greater Birmingham and Solihull LEP came through with half of the funds but a bid for a similar amount from Stoke-on-Trent and Staffordshire LEP was refused.

### Positive

Cannock Chase Council leader George Adamson said: "We were bitterly disappointed to miss out last time. We're hopeful of a positive outcome this time around."

"We found it strange at the time that one local enterprise partnership agreed to fund the scheme while another did not. We feel we are strong contenders," he said.

The hotel has been touted as the showpiece of the Gallan Park development, fronting the busy A5 in Bridgtown. The development also includes 9,000sq ft of space available for leisure and retail businesses on seven acres of land. Some £5m private sector investment would be leveraged if the revived bid is successful.

## Blood donor sessions

BLOOD donors can roll up their sleeves in Heath Hayes next week. NHS Blood and Transplant will be at the Constitutional Club in Hednesford Road on Tuesday, September 18, and is appealing for volunteers. Sessions times are from 1.30 to 3.30pm and from 4.30 to 7pm. Appointments can be made on 0300 123 23 23.

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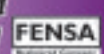


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## LETTERS

## Sick of all the banter from store cashiers

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One Saturday I went shopping with my husband. When we got the till we were asked if we had our own bags. We didn't. We declined a bag for life in favour of throw away ones, but could only have two at a time and we had a fair bit of shopping.

The cashier never stopped talking about weather, where we were going next, have we been on holiday?

When we had finished she offered us a green token, but we weren't allowed a raffle ticket as we didn't use our own bags or a bag for life.

I feel this is now prejudice. And it holds everyone up. All I want to do is go in, get my shopping and get out. We get sick of all the banter from the cashiers.

MRS A PINCHAM  
Cannock

## New homes in Pye Green not needed

IN her letter of August 30, Lisa Howe asks why do we need a further 700 homes in Pye Green Hednesford. The simple answer is we don't.

They will be an oppressive and damaging act that will dangerously threaten the nearby Chase AONB and particularly the fragile Special Area of Conservation within it.

The council will say that it was the Government that forced them to build, not just these houses, but also further 330 on the land in Pye Green Valley at the end of the "road to nowhere". In

total it is planned for the Hednesford area to have around a further 2,500 houses over the next decade or so.

You will also hear the developments will bring 1,000 extra jobs. The truth is that the Labour-led council didn't have the foresight to keep any necessary housing expansion with existing district urban boundaries. Plus the jobs they promise will go to building companies outside the area and bring no long term benefit to Cannock Chase.

The old stadium site has now been taken out of any building plans with the

developer's sweetener of £600k from the 750 houses in Pye Green to be funnelled into making it a sports field once again. Laudable, but a small section of the stadium could have been used to build a mixture of much-needed social houses and private development. The project could then have self-funded excellent sporting and leisure facilities on the site and would have also reduced the pressure on building houses close to the Chase.

GRAHAM BURNETT  
Hednesford

## Workmen were not fixing tile

WITH reference to the August 16 letter headlined "How many men does it take to fix a tile?" We would like to correct the impression that the staff involved were fixing a ceiling tile.

Over the past two months the trust has been undertaking projects in and around the X-Ray department which have involved contractors accessing areas above ceiling tiles to carry out surveys and improvement works.

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This work involved accessing the ceiling void in X-Ray to gain access to drainage pipe work and services.

CHRIS ECCLES  
Associate Director of  
Estates & Facilities  
Mid Staffordshire NHS  
Foundation Trust

## Questions raised over delay to pool

I WAS stunned to read about the delay in opening Cannock's swimming pool. The vast amount of money that the taxpayer has paid out to bring the centre up to the state-of-the-art before handing it to the private sector and we employ second rate contractors.

I would have thought Councillor Mitchell would have confirmed the contractors were experienced in putting new heated pools in before giving the contract to the company.

An experienced company would know and allow for the obvious expansion of joints when you heat a pool of water. If the councillor did not make sure of their experience it raises the question "should she be in charge of such contracts?"

I hope the taxpayer is not going to foot the bill for the extra work involved. Also, was a penalty clause, put in the contract if it did not finish on time? If so how much is going to be paid back to the taxpayer?

R PEATY  
Cannock

## Back to school event went off with a bang

I WOULD like to congratulate the organisers of the Rugeley 'Back to School with a Bang' event held on Hagley Park on Saturday September 1.

The firework display was stunning and as good as I have seen anywhere, even at much bigger places such as Shrewsbury, Torbay and Nottingham. The funfair was great fun for all families and teenagers to enjoy before and after the fireworks. A super event, well done.

K WINDSOR  
Canterbury Drive  
Rugeley

## Chance for phoenix to rise from ashes

WHAT a summer of sport we are having. It started with Wimbledon, then the European Championships, the Olympic Games, cricket and the Paralympic Games.

I watched in wonder at the achievements of the youth of the world at the London Games, but it made me think would the youth of Cannock Chase area be more inspired if the last council had not closed and demolished a perfectly good stadium because they saw pound signs not potential.

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to the Editor

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## No rockers allowed

AFTER reading memories of Cannock in the 1960s I wonder if anyone else remembers the La Bamba coffee bar down the Walsall Road. In 1965/66 I used to go with some friends all in our mod gear and spend many happy hours of a Saturday there. It was always full of well dressed mods, no rockers allowed.

HAZEL ROLLINS  
Burntwood

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## NEWS

# Owner left 'sickened' by break-in at beauty salon



Owner Emma Ashley outside Addiction in Burntwood which was broken into on the day before its grand opening

**BURGLARS** broke into a hair and beauty salon on the eve of its grand opening, smashing the glass door and making off with the till.

Owner Emma Ashley said she was 'sickened' by the break-in at Addiction in Burntwood. The intruders also caused around £500 of damage and stole an iPod before being disturbed

Mother-of-two Emma, aged 32, has owned the beauty business for almost 10 years and had just invested £20,000 in converting the first floor of the Morley Road premises into a new beauty facility while introducing a hairdressing salon downstairs.

The planned celebrations fell flat as customers were forced to enter via a boarded-up door. Emma said: "We'd put such a lot of hard work into it but

the grand opening never really happened. Opening a boarded-up door to customers while scenes-of-crimes officers go round the place isn't so grand."

The break-in was discovered in the early hours of Tuesday, September 4. Emma said: "It's sickening that someone can enter your property like that, but everything's been fixed or replaced and customers have really rallied round."

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## MEMORY LANE



Old Edial Hall is gone but the adjoining farm and servants' house remain



Glasscroft, now Jones Lane, is decorated for the coronation of George VI



Burntwood Hall at Rakes Hill in a picture believed to date back to the 1950s

## Recalling man who bought his wife down the market

AS WE get older the areas we live in change with us and it is only when we see old photos like these featured here, that we recall what it was like in our youth.

The old Christ Church vicarage at Burntwood has long gone to make way for more modern houses. Vicarages like these were expensive to maintain, though the expansion of nursing homes, and the like, found them ideal, so many fine houses were saved from the bulldozers.

Burntwood Hall escaped this fate, by alteration and conversion into flats. Now it is a fine house.

Opposite the gateway to St Matthew's Hospital was Glasscroft, now Jones Lane, seen here decorated for the Coronation of George VI, in 1937. Some much loved buildings meet

by Ron Bradbury

an accidental demise, such as the Chase Terrace High School on Bridge Cross Road, Chase Terrace. Burned beyond repair in August 2002, a fine new building replaces it, which ironically, is much more suited to modern schooling techniques.

Last month was the 10th anniversary of the fire.

Also long gone is the row of houses up the part of Rugeley Road, Burntwood known as Nags Hill. These houses long rejoiced in the name Tub and Bucket Row, because rainwater was collected from the drainpipes to use for domestic purposes, with drinking water coming from a well. It was a form of recycling.

Many of the families who lived there had been there for generations, one of them going down into folklore as the man who bought his wife at Walsall

market for 2/6d, 12 and a half pence in today's money. In reality he was not legally married, but had come to an arrangement with a farmer round the corner who wanted shut of his wife because of her infidelity. Selling one's wife in a public market place was like getting a divorce in those days, though wasn't recognised as so in law. One building still standing is Edial Hall.

### Slideshow

The Edial Hall of Samuel Johnson fame has long gone, but the adjoining servants' and farm building survived and is now a fine house in its own right. All these photos and many more were featured in the Chase Heritage Group's monthly slideshow/film night this month.

Similar shows are held on the first Tuesday of the month. Details are available on [www.burntwoodchaseheritage.weebly.com](http://www.burntwoodchaseheritage.weebly.com)



Homes in Rugeley Road known as Tub and Bucket Row



The old Christ Church vicarage at Burntwood



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## NEWS

# Specialist team to deal with problems at park

## Cooking up fitness tips



Sandra Sutton takes healthy eating advice from health promoter Isabella Smith with fellow visitors to St Luke's Community Church

COOKING up healthy dishes and walking off the calories are on the agenda at a new club for pensioners.

Age UK South Staffordshire has unveiled a Live Life, Live Younger Club at St Luke's Community Church Centre in Cannock. The exercise element includes a Zumba class, together with a wellbeing and

support programme offering advice on a nutritious diet and weight management.

The club will provide cook-and-eat demonstrations, e-mail support and taster exercise classes a pocket planner and a monthly walk programme, together with regular newsletters with tips on getting fit.

A SPECIALIST team of police, wardens and council staff is being trained up to deal with the weekly call-outs about anti-social behaviour at Cannock Park.

Worried residents fear the area is becoming a no-go zone.

There have been 22 incidents of anti-social behaviour and seven reported crimes since the start of the year. People living nearby are concerned about gangs of up to 20 youths hanging around in the park and causing trouble.

Selected council officers, park attendants, police and PCSOs will now all be involved in tackling any trouble.

They will be instructed in their roles and will meet to work through a number of scenarios. The police have indicated that the park is a potential "hot spot" for problems including the drinking of alcohol.

### Misused

Police also report that a significant number of calls requesting officers to attend Cannock Park concern youths playing football on the bowling green.

They have suggested landscaping options to ensure the site and adjoining rose garden is not misused. The council has installed "no ball" signs on the bowling green and police say they will stop youths drinking alcohol in a designated public place.

Others living in surrounding roads have complained of motorbikes being ridden around the field and paper being lit and left to burn on the ground.

### Diamond Jubilee quiz

A DIAMOND Jubilee and Olympics quiz is being held on Friday, September 21, organised by Etching Hill Women's Institute. It starts at 7.30pm at St Joseph & Ethelreda Community Centre, Heron Street, Rugeley. Cost is £2 per person for teams of four.



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## NEWS

### Tree-mendous success leads to bonsai repeat

THE historic Shugborough estate is to repeat its recent bonsai display. Estate worker Paolo Allen showed off his collection of miniature trees over the August Bank Holiday weekend and due to its success is staging another in the Walled Garden on September 29 and 30 from 11am to 4pm.

Paolo, who has been growing and developing bonsai for around 12 years and has a collection of nearly 50 trees, said: "I was totally amazed by the response to the first display, there were so many lovely and positive comments. Some people travelled large distances to view the trees and next time will be even better."

The event is free and is part of the normal entrance cost of visiting the Shugborough Estate.

### Actor's close shave



Salon owner Emma Haddaway and Calendar Girls actress Lisa Blakeley shave actor Dave Beere's head

AN actor taking part in a production of Calendar Girls raised money for charity by shaving his head.

Dave Beere, a member of Cannock Chase Drama Society, plays leukaemia sufferer John Clarke in the show. To raise cash for Leukaemia Research, Mr Beere had his head shaved at the Emma Louise Haddaway Unisex Hair Salon in Cannock.

The society will perform the production at the Prince of Wales Centre in Cannock from tonight (Thursday) until Saturday at 7.30pm each evening. There will also be a matinee performance at 2.30pm on the Saturday.

Calendar Girls is based on the true story of 11 Women's Institute members who posed nude for a calendar to raise money for research into leukaemia.

The script by Tim Firth has now been released for amateurs to perform to raise awareness of the condition.

For tickets, call the Church Street centre's box office on 01543 578762.

### Hospital bosses defend shake-up

HEALTH trust bosses have defended the decision to shake up the catering department at Cannock and Stafford Hospitals.

The Mid-Staffordshire NHS Foundation Trust said the service was losing half a million pounds a year.

The trust was summoned to Cannock Chase's health-care scrutiny panel meeting to explain its decision to close Cannock Hospital's kitchen and transport food from Stafford.

The Nightingales restaurant at Stafford Hospital will also close at weekends. The shake-up has left 92 jobs in the balance.

Health chiefs revealed the catering service has been losing cash due to a fall in demand. The changes will mean savings of around £450,000 a year.

Trust director of finance Aaron Cummins said money would be invested in a hostess service made up of around eight workers who would receive the meals at Cannock and distribute them to patients.

Patients at Cannock will still be able to get food and snacks on an ad hoc basis, he said.

Mr Cummins said the change would not come into force until the trust had selected someone to transport the food and had assurances it would not impact on the quality for patients.

Cannock south Councillor Maureen Freeman questioned what it meant for catering staff. Mr Cummins said there were no plans for redundancies but it could not be ruled out.

### Poisoner talk by historian

LOCAL historian Anthony Hunt is giving an illustrated talk on Rugeley poisoner William Palmer next week. It takes place at Cannock Library, in Manor Avenue, from 2-3pm on Wednesday, September 19. Tickets are £2, or £2.50 for non-members. Places are limited so bookings must be made in advance on 01543 510369.



## NEWS

# An Inn-spectre calls as Mystic Eds for TV date

**A PSYCHIC to the stars is to appear on a TV show to discuss the ghosts which haunt a 17th century Cannock inn.**

Mystic Ed will feature on Great British Ghosts talking about the Four Crosses Inn, on the A5 at Hatherton.

The programme is hosted by Michaela Strachan and will be screened on the Yesterday channel on Sky on Friday, September 21 at 9.30pm.

Ed will be talking about the famous ghosts which haunt the inn which dates from 1636.

There have been countless incidents of paranormal activity there including a female poltergeist which is said to haunt the ladies toilets.

Doors have slammed shut on ladies visiting the toilet and people hear the cubicle flushing next to them when no-one is in there.

A previous bar manager at the time entered the ladies toilets to discover two flowers crossed, lying on the lid of the lavatory. After leaving the toilet to do some tidying up she later returned to discover a heavy candlestick had moved from the fireplace and was blocking the toilet door. She was the only person present in the building at the time.

## Distraught

The psychic believes the paranormal activity in the toilet is down to a distraught woman called Emily who lived in the Edwardian period and who he believes died of a broken heart.

Ed said: "It's quite a romantic story really. Emily, who was aged in her early 20s, was due to elope to London with her boyfriend of the time. But while she dolled herself up to get ready for him to come he jilted her at the last minute.

"She never got over it and died of a broken heart. She goes into the toilets to prepare herself for the man who will never come for her."

Other paranormal incidents include glasses flying off the shelves, footsteps and an apparition of a young girl in tatty clothing who disappeared through a wall.

Ghostly children have been seen and one paranormal group captured a young boy spectre in a photograph in the bar area. Other spooky sightings include that of a Roundhead soldier and a gentleman wearing a long cloak standing on the car park looking forlornly at the pub.

Ed added: "The Four Crosses Inn is a very haunted place indeed. There are many ghosts in there. It was very enjoy-



Michaela Strachan and Mystic Ed at the Four Crosses

able to meet Michaela Strachan who is a lovely lady and to discuss what I was picking up when I walked into the Four Crosses. It really is a fascinating historic haunted building."

Mystic Ed has been a psychic to the stars and was thrust into the limelight on the old BBC Rustie Lee Show where he gave live readings to celebrities including Noddy Holder, Tessa Sanderson, Ruth Madoc and astrologer Russell Grant.

He appeared on Good Morning with Anne and Nick and has been in shows like Channel 5's Housebusters.

Ed Ward lives in Cannock with his equally flamboyant partner 'Fluffy' whom he married in November 2008 in a Civil Rights Ceremony.

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## NEWS

# Hundreds respond to survey on racers

POLICE have collected more than 200 responses to an online survey which asks for views on street racing in Cannock. Officers have been seizing cars as part of a crack-down on drivers using town centre roads as a race track.

The methods are being enforced pending a High Court application for greater powers to deal with the problem.

Officers in marked and unmarked cars are targeting Watling Street and Eastern Way, where groups of drivers regularly race at speeds "far in excess" of the 50mph speed limit which is in place on parts of each route. The survey will be used as evidence for an injunction application.

## Garden is unveiled



Staffordshire Council voluntary youth services chief executive Phil Pusey at West Chadsmoor Family Centre

A GARDEN that will serve as a legacy to the work of young volunteers has been unveiled at a family centre in Cannock. About 14 teenagers took part in the work, which also included the creation of a "welcome" mosaic and the decoration of three rooms at West Chadsmoor Family Centre.

The six-week school holiday project, called Summer Of A Lifetime, also included two weeks at residential outdoor activity centres, developing team and leadership skills.

At the Princess Street centre, which offers children's activities on a budget, volunteers worked with an artist to create the mosaic, which was unveiled last week.

Jane Reynolds, from the charity Staffordshire Council of Voluntary Youth Services, said: "Everyone was over the moon with what they had achieved."

The youngsters, aged 15-17, spent a week at the Beaudesert Scout and Guide Camp in Cannock Wood and the PGL Adventure Centre in Boreatton Park, Shrewsbury.

# £8.5m cost to treat diabetes

DIABETES is costing more than £8.5 million a year to treat in South Staffordshire, new figures reveal.

The cost has increased from £7.2m in 2009. The rise in cases reflects the increasing problem with obesity, which can bring on the condition.

Bosses at South Staffordshire PCT, which also covers Rugeley, Stafford and Cannock, said they were committed to improving care to people suffering diabetes - and educating people about how a healthier life-style can prevent it developing.

### Prevalence

PCT spokesman Sue Venables said steps had been introduced to increase support to people with long-term conditions like diabetes.

As of March 2011, diabetes prevalence in the adult population was 5.6 per cent of 502,300.

Figures show that there were 496,929 items, including insulin and other drugs,

dispensed to treat diabetes in 2011 at a cost of £8.5m. This is in comparison to the £8m spent on 466,057 items in 2010 and the £7.2m on 432,825 items in 2009.

Being overweight is linked to a range of problems including diabetes and heart disease.

The number of obese adults in Cannock Chase increased from 14,500 in 2006/7 to 17,200 in 2011/12.

Barbara Young, chief executive of Diabetes UK, has previously said there was a "real possibility of diabetes bankrupting the NHS within a generation."

by Richard Woodall

Talk on 'Dancing Marquis'

HENRY Cecil Paget, the 5th Marquis of Anglesey, will be the subject of a talk at Heath Hayes Library next week. Mike Street will be giving the talk to the man known as 'the Dancing Marquis' for his unique style of dancing. He was also notorious for his lavish and spendthrift lifestyle. The talk at the Hednesford Road venue is from 2-3pm on Thursday, September 20. Tickets are £2 or £2.50 for non-members. Call 01543 279675 to book.



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## NEWS

### Woman held after police seize cocaine from home

A 20-YEAR-OLD woman was arrested after drugs police searched a house in Cannock.

The woman was held for possession with intent to supply a Class A drug and was bailed pending further enquiries until a date in November. Cocaine with a value of £15,000 was seized from the premises in Gaelic Road on Friday, along with nearly £2,000 in cash.

Chief Inspector Carl Ratcliffe, Cannock LPT Commander, said: "The raid was carried out as part of Operation Nemesis, Staffordshire Police's crackdown on drug dealers. Drug production is a very serious offence and we will do everything in our power to bring those involved to justice."

### Bosses fear for schools as funding in shake-up

**DOZENS** of small schools in Staffordshire will be threatened with closure or mergers because of Government funding reforms, education bosses warn.

The way all schools receive money from the Dedicated Schools Grant will change nationally from next year.

### Tesco still looking to recruit 140 more staff

RECRUITMENT of 140 workers for a new supermarket in Hednesford will be launched later this month.

Tesco bosses said 100 vacancies specifically for the area's long-term unemployed have now been filled.

Some 500 applications were received for the positions tied to people who have been out of work for six months or more.

The new recruits have just started a six-week pre-employment training course with the store, which is being built at the Victoria Shopping Park and is to open by the end of the year. It is part of the £50m redevelopment of the town.

### Transfers

Tesco spokesman Jonathan Simpson said a very small number of the remaining 140 posts would be management transfers. General recruitment will begin on September 24.

Builders started work on the site in June after Cannock Chase Council signed a contract with property developers St Modwen. The 85,000 sq ft structure is expected to be completed in time for a Christmas opening.

There will be a 640-space car park with a row of non-food shops, a community hall and shopping kiosk, along with a new bus stop.

Instead of different amounts going to varying sizes of schools, all schools, no matter how big or small, will instead receive the same lump sum.

And education bosses in Staffordshire said the way the Government wanted to distribute the cash could lead to the closure or merger of some schools because it would be hard to justify the same pot of money going to all schools, regardless of their size or number of pupils.

They are demanding a rethink from the Department for Education.

### Diverse

Councillor Liz Staples, cabinet member for education and skills, said: "This is going to cause major problems. Staffordshire has a very diverse amount of schools."

"A school with 50 pupils doesn't need as much money as a school with 600."

"We have 27 schools with 50 or less pupils and we also have some small middle and secondary schools. They could close. It is a possibility."

A consultation has been launched with schools in the county to discuss the changes, which will run until October 3.

### Delays caused by roadworks

ROADWORKS caused delays for drivers along a busy road in Penkridge earlier this week.

Temporary lights caused tailbacks on the main A449 on Tuesday. The roadworks were taking place close to the Lynehill Lane junction.

### Beer festival hopes to raise pots of cash

ORGANISERS of the first ever Penkridge Beer Festival hope to raise thousands of pounds for charity.

Penkridge Round Table is hoping to raise pots of money for community causes during the two day event on September 21 and 22 at Peace Memorial Hall, Pinfold Lane.

Some of the proceeds raised will be used to buy additional automatic external defibrillator equipment at a suitable location in the village and to help local sports clubs.

In addition to funding another defibrillator, Penkridge Round Table is supporting Penkridge Cricket Club who are looking to expand their youth and community involvement and need to improve facilities to encourage more youngsters to take up the sport.



## NEWS

## 'Kate' adds a regal touch to Torch visit



Torchbearers Martin Crutchley and Jamie Ward with Sainsbury's colleagues and 'Kate Middleton', aka Heidi Agan



Graham Hughes, front, with Logan's Torch



Members of the public pose with the Torchbearers and 'Kate'

A HUSBAND and wife from Cannock who successfully bid for a hand-made Olympic Torch were joined by real-life Torchbearers – and a Royal lookalike – to raise charity cash. Graham and Jo Hughes, organised a photo shoot at Sainsbury's in Cannock with Logan's Torch and genuine Olympic and Paralympic flame carriers.

Logan's Torch, a hand-made mini replica of the Olympic Torch, was created by five-year-old Logan McKerrow, of Somerset. It has been auctioned on eBay and sent from

buyer to buyer in aid of the Let's Hear it for Deaf Children charity. Graham and Jo were joined by Wolverhampton Torchbearer Jamie Ward and Cheslyn Hay shot putter Martin Crutchley, a 2008 Beijing Paralympian.

People could have their pictures taken with the torches and 'Kate Middleton', alias Heidi Agan from Cheslyn Hay. The money raised, £133.13, will be split between Martin's Paralympic training costs, Logan's Torch fund and Team GB Deaf Women's costs of attending the Deaflympics.

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## NEWS

### Cooking up a treat



Alice Lainingham, aged 11, a pupil at Chase Terrace Technology College with her prize-winning cake

A YOUNG cook from Burntwood scooped first prize in a cake competition to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee year. Alice Lainingham, a pupils at Chase Terrace Technology College, created a crown on a cushion design, which saw her win the under-12s category at the Lichfield Food Festival.

The 11-year-old, who is a keen baker, spent weeks preparing for the competition with her mixed fruit cake and chocolate recipe. She won tickets for the Alice in Wonderland pantomime and £20 vouchers for the Cook Shop in Lichfield.

The youngster said: "I felt really happy. I was a little surprised to win but I enjoy cooking."

Proud mother Kathy, a cook for Tesco, said she was very pleased with Alice's work.

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## NEWS

# Leading club kicks off a renewed fundraising bid

## Horn dance tradition



Joe Bailey and Oliver Birch, aged six, at the Abbots Bromley horn dance

DANCERS donned reindeer antlers to observe a very English tradition.

Scores of people turned out to watch the annual horn dance, which has been held on Wakes Monday in Abbots Bromley, near Rugeley, since 1226.

The team of six costumed dancers set off from the village green on a 10-

mile route. They collected the horns at 8am from St Nicholas's Church, where they are kept.

The team of six deer men were accompanied by a fool, hobby horse, bowman and Maid Marian as they performed their dance at locations throughout the village and surrounding farms and pubs.

A LEADING amateur football club is planning a £300,000 revamp of its old ground – just days after Sir Trevor Brooking opened its new £1.15 million home.

Wyrley Juniors FC, which has 700 young footballers on its books, needs both of the facilities to accommodate all its teams.

The club moved to new premises in Long Lane, Essington after a 10-year fundraising quest and runs 40 teams.

Three years ago club bosses signed a 20-year lease on the old ground in Hazel Lane, Great Wyrley, and now plan to build four changing rooms and a toilet block there.

Work will not start until the club has finished paying the £20,000 contract to seed and maintain six new pitches at Long Lane, due to be ready after Christmas and raising £40,000 for fencing to secure the Hazel Lane site.

### Cycle

Club chairman Keith Hardy said: "We're in a never-ending cycle of fundraising. There are 17 years left on the Hazel Lane ground and we're looking for any funding we can towards improving facilities."

"All our efforts at the moment are concentrated on paying off the last £4,000 towards the new pitches and after that we will turn our attention to Hazel Lane."

"Unfortunately we have suffered vandalism there, so we need to put up fencing before we start work."

Wyrley Juniors, named the FA's community club of the year in 2011, can now raise money through the bar and function room at the new clubhouse but still relies heavily on grants and sponsorship.

### Medieval history course

A RUGELEY history group is running a six-week course on Medieval Staffordshire. The course, run by the Landor (Local History) Society, starts on Wednesday September 26, from 7.30-9pm at St Paul's Church Social Room in Lichfield Street. Call Marion on 01889 576674 or Glenys 01889 586040.

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Lessons were mentioned, the likes and dislikes including the dreaded multiplication tables. We had PT then called PE. We played hopscotch, pig-in-the-middle, top and whip and skipping was always on the agenda.

We all remembered milk at playtime, on hot days it sometimes almost turned sour and in very cold winters the tops would be pushed up by a column of ice. Oh happy days. Several ladies brought to mind the punishments meted out. Had our attention wandered? Perhaps the boys had been fighting on the playground. Maybe we should have to stand in a corner, write 100 lines, or perhaps a sharp rap on the hand from a teacher.

Everyone was encouraged to join in the discussion and many memories came to mind, prompted by some of the pictures shown. The ladies showed their appreciation in their usual way.

## Lions make plea for storage space



Lions Dave and Sue Price with some of the equipment that has been amassed

CANNOCK Lions has amassed a host of items since it was formed three years ago and is now looking for storage space to keep it all.

The equipment includes tables and boxes of decorations, a raffle drum, Messages In A Bottle and other regalia which has been used over the years to arrange fundraising activities like the Christmas lunch for SSAFA members, the Big Jubilee Event and Burns Night.

Cannock Lions needs to be able to have

### CANNOCK LIONS

access to the equipment at all time. The group is unable to pay for storage as any money raises goes to charity.

If everything is in one place then the Lions can concentrate on serving the community. The ideal location would be in the Cannock/Heath Hayes areas.

Anyone that can help is asked to call Beverley on 07764 202 842.

## Quiz night aids baby unit

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and the Stafford Hospital special care baby unit.

Members listened spellbound as speaker Penny Wheat recounted her career as a silversmith. Penny then judged the competition featuring my favourite piece of

silver. First prize went to Heather Williams with Helen Dawson second and Jackie Cooper third.

During the tea break a slideshow of the Jubilee party and Heath House visit was screened. The raffle was won by Irene Bohanan and Margaret Barret.

## Don't miss Sunday's Wedding Fayre at The George Hotel in Lichfield!

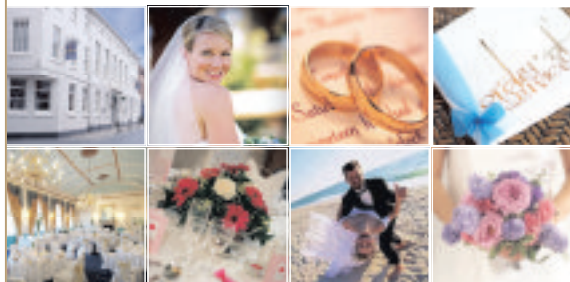
If you are involved in the planning of a wedding you should make a date to visit The George Hotel's Wedding Fayre on Sunday 16th September 2012. From 11am until 4pm you'll be able to meet the experts from a wide range of businesses all under one roof and all ready to inspire you with ideas for flowers, photographs, stationery, music, videos, wedding dresses, menswear, chair covers, cakes, jewellery, cars, beauty treatments and honeymoons - all essential to the perfect wedding. The George's experienced wedding co-ordinators will also be on hand at the Wedding Fayre to show you around the rooms and advise you on menu selections,

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## NEWS

## Building firm lands university contract

A RUGELEY-based building contractor has landed a £350,000 deal for a major refit of a university's student union.

Kribensis Leisure Contracts, based on the Towers Business Park, will carry out the project to transform the University of Northampton's Students' Union bar and coffee lounge. The rooms have been redesigned for both teaching and live entertainment use.

Kribensis was established 10 years ago and focuses in new builds and refits in the leisure and hospitality industries.

Design work on the Students Union transformation was carried out by Kribensis' sister company, GMP Design.

## Cat owners sought



Gemma Cleary, Georgie Hunt, Kasey Brown and Kirsty Lees, from Common Farm Cattery, in Hednesford

NEW homes are being sought for dozens of cats after a surge in the number being abandoned.

The RSPCA is looking for new owners for 24 pets after they were recovered from the likes of dumped boxes and in bins. They are currently being looked after at Common Farm Cattery in Hednesford and an open day for interested parties was held at the weekend.

It costs the charity £4 a day for the cats to be cared for and they are usually kept for a minimum of three weeks to ensure they are healthy and vaccinated.

RSPCA welfare co-ordinator Becky Weeks said there had been an increase in abandoned animals in recent weeks and added the charity was now looking to find new homes for them.

"Normally we have about eight cats," she said. "We have currently got a lot of kittens between eight to 12 weeks old."

Anyone interested in adopting a cat can call 0845 272 3570 to arrange an appointment. For more details visit the [www.rspca-walsall.org.uk](http://www.rspca-walsall.org.uk) website.

## Hi-tech aids for police brought in

POLICE in Staffordshire are being given hi-tech phones and computer tablets in a move to replace the traditional notepad and pen.

Seventy officers and staff will be given the devices, which can cost £200 each. It follows a successful pilot involving 48 Staffordshire Police workers.

Bosses said the trial helped staff to work more efficiently and engage more with communities.

Deputy chief constable Douglas Paxton said: "The force currently has more than 63,000 followers across social media sites such as Facebook and Twitter.

"Operational staff play a major part in developing this important audience.

"Prior to going live on social media networks, all staff receive training in how to make best use of it and are reminded of the relevant force policies.

"We've recently trialled smart phones and tablets to

by Richard Woodall

improve our operational social media engagement with communities.

"Forty eight staff took part and the evaluation highlighted that the devices improved community engagement and helped colleagues work more efficiently."

The force is now also replacing existing handheld digital assistants that are given to all frontline police officers.

No decision on which models to replace these with has been taken.

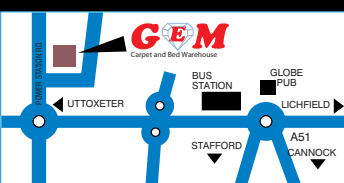
## Charity plea on great run

A CANNOCK-based national children's charity wants people to help boost its funds by taking part in the Great North run. The Newlife Foundation for Disabled Children has 15 places up for grabs in the 13-kilometre October 21 event. Entry through Newlife is free, but runners, aged 17 and over, are asked to raise a minimum of £150 sponsorship. Newlife, in Hemlock Way, supports families of disabled and terminally ill children. For more information call 0800 988 4640.

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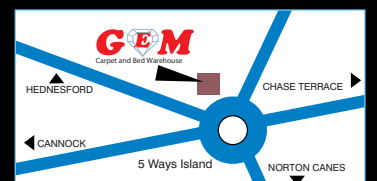
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## NEWS

# They call it puppy Love as family rescues dog

A MILITARY support officer spent more than £800 in transporting a stranded dog to his Cheslyn Hay home after rescuing the animal during a charity climb in Romania.

Technical services officer Dave Love, based at Whittington Barracks, near Lichfield, fell in love with the scruffy stray and arranged for it to be ferried to his home.

He spotted the pup at the end of a week-long trip with four colleagues to raise £20,000 for Wolverhampton's Compton Hospice.

He and wife Kate, aged 37, who accompanied him, have had to fork out for emergency surgery, injections and other vet's bills as well as food and lodgings while they organised his passage to the UK.

### Crawl

Zani, named after Zarneshi, the village where he was found, was delivered on Sunday and the Loves say the expense and two-month wait to get him back was worth it.

Dave, 42, had seen the dog crawl out from under an abandoned van, dehydrated in the 30C temperatures and starving. He bribed the minibus driver to allow the dog on board and as soon as they got back to their hotel, the Loves took him by taxi to the nearest vet.

They were told the emaciated mongrel, then six weeks old, had an infected tail and would be dead in days without an operation. Having already fallen for the pup, the couple agreed to fund his surgery and paid for his other welfare needs while they looked for a way to get him to the UK.

Dave said: "We couldn't have let him die. Amazingly we found a company that specialises in bringing unwanted dogs from Romania to this country. Some people think we're mad but once we'd found him we couldn't part with him."

Dave took a day off work on Monday to welcome Zani while Kate, who retired from her fundraising job at



Dave and Kate Love with their dog Zani at their Cheslyn Hay home

Compton Hospice on Friday, was also there to help their canine guest bed in.

Zani is now showing no signs of the necrosis, a progressive deterioration and collapse of the thigh bone, which medics in Romania had diagnosed. The condition is a painful and crippling disease which causes the bone to die.

The couple's sons, 15-year-old Alex and Ben, aged nine, are thrilled by the new addition.

Dave said: "I had no other thought in Romania than relieving this poor animal from its pain. There was a moment at the vet's in Romania when Katie and I looked at each other, and that was it. It felt like fate had played a bit of a hand."

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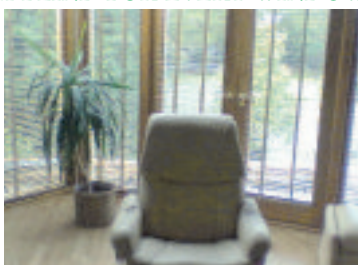
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## NEWS

# Fans to greet top riders on a race through Chase



Olympic champ and Tour de France winner Wiggins



A map highlighting Stage 5 of the Tour of Britain

**PUPILS outside schools, pubgoers and cycling fanatics were set to create a wall of noise when Europe's top riders pass through the Chase today.**

Stage 5 of the Tour of Britain features Mark Cavendish, who won the third Stage and Tour de France winner and Olympic Gold medalist Bradley Wiggins.

The race takes a largely rural 92-mile route through the county but passes by the outskirts of Stafford and Stone, where office workers and schoolchildren will have the chance to cheer on Britain's Tour de France and Olympic heroes.

Around 800 pupils from Weston Road Academy in Blackheath Lane, Stafford, were set to learn yesterday (Wednesday) whether they would be given a break from lessons to be

allowed to witness the spectacle. Headteacher Dr Greg Taylor said safety risk assessments would have to be made before a decision was finally reached.

"There's no doubt these cyclists are a great role model for youngsters and it would be very exciting for our pupils to see the race from such a great vantage point."

### Landlord

"But, as always with things like this, there are boxes to be ticked to make sure it will be safe for them to stand on the roadside."

Paul Woods, landlord of the The Greyhound Inn at Yarlet, between Stone and Stafford, plans to cheer the riders on from outside his pub on the A34.

He said: "We won't be getting busy until around noon so the staff will definitely step outside and give the cyclists a wave and some encouragement."

One of the biggest crowds is expected to gather outside Springslade Lodge on Camp Road, just south of Brocton.

Owner Kay Le Page said cyclists from Stafford, Stone, Wolverhampton, Codsall and Walsall were among road club members who planned to cycle to the cafe, where they regularly meet, in order to watch the race.

She is opening a field used as a camp site opposite the lodge as an extra parking area for spectators.

A brief main road section leads the race to Brocton, where the first of the day's climbs begin. The stage turns on to the small Chase Road in the centre of Brocton.

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Diamond wedding couple Tony and Eileen Newman



The Newmans on their wedding day in August 1952

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The newlyweds had planned to go to Lynmouth, north Devon but a week before the big day in August 1952 the river flooded after torrential downpours, killing 34 people.

Instead, the couple, who live in New Road, Penkridge, went to Ramsgate where Tony, now 80, had lived before the

war. Evacuated as a schoolboy to Stafford, he met Eileen, now 83, at the youth club attached to the Brethren Church at Holmcroft.

They have two daughters, Shirley, aged 56, who lives in Cyprus and Judith, 54 and a son Michael, 52, together with six grandchildren and five great-grandchildren with another due imminently. Tony, a former clerk to Penkridge parish council, said: "We were soul mates, and we still are."

## Amazon in jobs boost

ONLINE shopping giant Amazon, which operates a warehouse in Rugeley, has announced plans to create 2,000 new jobs by opening three new distribution centres.

The retailer, which opened the distribution centre from Towers Business Park last September, said the new jobs would include posts in computing, management and human resources.

Bosses also announced that up to 3,000 temporary workers would be taken on for Christmas to help cope with festive demand.

## Rush

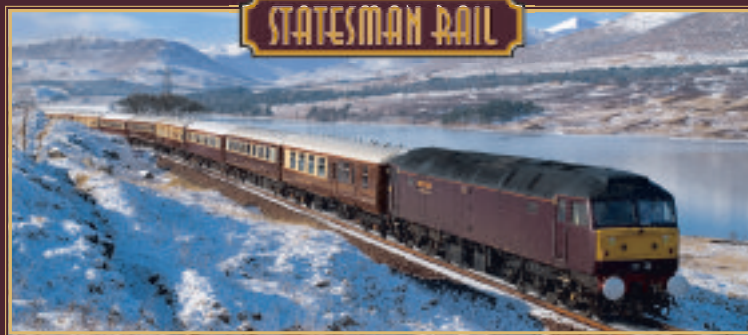
It is unclear at this stage how many temporary Christmas jobs will be available at the 700,000 sq ft Rugeley centre, but around 1,700 positions were created to cope with the festive shopping rush in 2011.

Amazon has now announced it had

opened a new distribution centre at Hemel Hempstead, creating 600 permanent jobs. Two further sites will open within the next two years.

Managing director Christopher North said: "We have created thousands of jobs in the UK over the last few years and are delighted to announce that we plan to create thousands more in the next 24 months."

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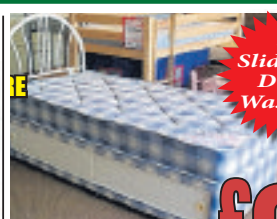


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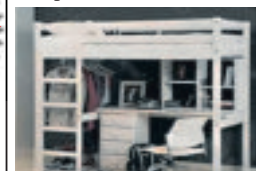
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## NEWS

### Boxing club challenge



Launching the Challenger Boxing Club, (front) trainer Paul Fellows, of Heath Hayes, with family and friends, at Ranton Park, Cannock

A NEW gym and amateur boxing club has officially launched in a former industrial unit in Cannock.

Former professional boxers were invited to an open day for the Challenger Boxing Club in Martindale at the weekend. An old industrial unit at Ranton Park was transformed following a £10,000 investment to provide classes at the facility. Former lightweight and welterweight boxer Arv Mittoo and Howard Clarke, who once fought for the world title at Madison Square Garden, were among those who attended the opening on Saturday (September 8).

More than 100 interested participants flocked through the doors to learn about the club, which is the brainchild of Paul Fellows.

The 41-year-old said it will start at amateur level and look to progress to having professionals. A main aim is to keep youngsters off the streets and to tackle obesity.

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## FOCUS ON BURNTWOOD

### Date set for start of work on clinic

BUILDING work on an empty care home in Burntwood will begin next year.

Greenwood House, Lichfield Road, will be demolished next March and rebuilt as a health centre, set to open in 2014.

County Councillor Steve Tranter, ward member for Lichfield and Burntwood North, said: "I am so happy work is going to begin. We are now getting the modern health facility that is so badly needed."

Matthew Ellis, county cabinet member for adults and wellbeing, said: "Local people desperately wanted to see a new health centre and I'm delighted that we are now able to make their aspirations a reality."

The Fulfen and Spire GP practices, at Burntwood Health Centre, Hudson Drive, will relocate to the new, bigger building which will also include a pharmacy.

### Stepping out in fundraiser

STAFF and residents at Hammerwich Hall Residential and Nursing Home are stepping out on a charity walk next weekend.

They will take part in the Alzheimer's Society's flagship Memory Walk fundraiser on Saturday, September 22 from 2.30pm.

# Town clerk's vow as council given Quality status again

**BURNTWOOD's Town clerk has pledged to maintain its commitment to residents after being re-accredited as a Quality Parish Council.**

The Town Council was first given the status four years ago by Staffordshire Parish Councils' Association for its proactive work to support local democracy and citizenship.

Parish Councils' Association chairman Councillor Harry Brunt said: "Burntwood Parish Council has consistently proven that they are a quality council, an achievement that can only be obtained through the team work of all councillors, their clerk and staff."

#### Benchmark

"They all must feel very proud and pleased by this and I know that their efforts will continue to benefit their local community now and in the future."

The Quality Parish and Town Council scheme was launched in 2003 and provides benchmark minimum standards for parish and town councils.

### Deadline for Grant Aid bids

COMMUNITY groups have until next Monday (September 17) to apply for funding in Burntwood. The town council's Grant Aid scheme is accepting applications from organisations that provide a community service or enhance the image of the area. Applicants must have clearly stated aims and objectives, a written constitution, provide a copy of its annual accounts and most recent bank statement and have an account operated by a minimum of two joint signatories.

### Golden date for couple

A HUSBAND and wife from Burntwood are celebrating their golden wedding anniversary.

Ken, 72, and Cynthia Cox, 69, of Rowan Grove, Burntwood, will celebrate 50 years of marriage on Saturday (September 15).

The couple married at St James church in Norton Canes after meeting at a weaving mill in Sankeys Corner, Chase Terrace where they both worked.

Mrs Cox said: "I worked as a machinist and Ken cleaned the weaving looms. Our first date was to the picture house."

"I can't remember much about it but I know I had some chocolate toffees and I wouldn't share them."

"I was only 16 at the time and we were both really shy but things blossomed from there."

The couple will celebrate their big day with a trip to the Isle of Wight, paid for by their three children, Andrew, 46, Julie, 43, and Martyn, 37.



Burntwood couple Ken and Cynthia Cox celebrate their golden anniversary



Wedding album - Ken and Cynthia Cox tie the knot in 1962

Mrs Cox added: "My husband doesn't like parties so we are being treated to a holiday. It's also my 70th birthday on the 13th so it will be a double celebration."

Eldest child, Andrew Cox, said: "It's hard to visualize my mother and father at the ages of 20 and 22 being ready for marriage at such a young age, but the

fact they are still together 50 years later really is a tremendous achievement."

"Mind you, if my dad had continued to teach my mum to drive I'm not sure we'd be celebrating 50 years of marriage."

"They should be really proud, as we all are of their achievement."

### Opinions on traffic are asked in survey

RESIDENTS in Burntwood are being asked for their views on transport and traffic management in the town.

Questionnaires have been distributed around the area and are available on the Burntwood Town Council website.

Councillor Heather Tranter said: "We are gathering lots of information to find out what changes Burntwood residents would like to see in transport."

"All the information will be collected at the end of the month so that we can start thinking about changes for the long term future of the town."

Responses must be submitted by Friday September 28 and can be returned to Burntwood Town Council's office. For more information call 01543 677166 or email [info@burntwood-tc.gov.uk](mailto:info@burntwood-tc.gov.uk)

### Groups' slice of cash fund

GROUPS in Burntwood are among those to receive handouts from the We Love Lichfield Fund.

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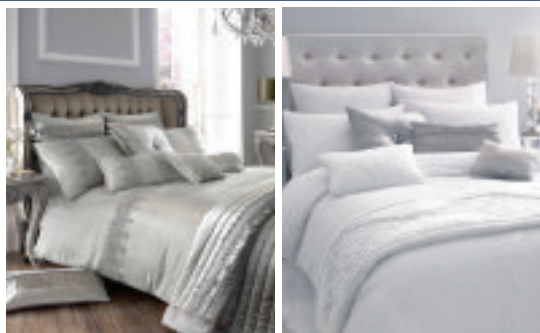
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## NEWS

## All dolls' houses great and small



Janet Brownhill from Country Treasures at the Dolls' House and Collectors Fair at Stafford County Showground

A TREASURE trove of all that is teeny-weeny came to Stafford for the ever-popular Dolls' House and Collectors Fair at the weekend.

Miniature houses, clothes and people filled the Country Showground in Weston Road.

Hundreds of collectors gathered to indulge in their hobby. A range of doll houses were on show throughout Sunday along with tiny furnishings made to go inside.

Items available ranged from those worth a few pennies to wares topping £1,000. More than 90 exhibitors went along.

The Stafford Dolls' House and Collectors Fair is held several times a year and more than 800 people went through the doors during the latest event.

Among those organisations to display were The Ironworks & Black Country Miniatures based in Doxey, Stafford, which specialises in making small balconies. Patricia Tripp said:



Jennifer Roberts, from Walsall



Patricia Tripp with show exhibits

"People always wanted a big house when they were young and can replicate it by having a doll house, it is no different to furnishing your own house."

There was also a jubilee-inspired display at this year's fair, with three tiny gardens depicting an adult party, children's event and food celebration.

Angela Davies, secretary of the Stafford Dolls' House Club, said: "We often have a club project and because it was jubilee year someone suggested we should do a party."

Jennifer Roberts, of Jennifer's of Walsall, which specialises in dolls' houses and miniatures, said: "It is something the whole family can do."

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## NEWS

# Scheme delivers knockout blow to crime in district



Members of the Right Stuff Boxing Club summer scheme are presented with their awards

**MORE than 100 people took part in a knockout initiative to cut crime and anti-social behaviour across Cannock Chase.**

The Right Stuff Project's summer scheme proved to be a big hit among the seven-to-16-year-olds. Those on the scheme followed the National Boxing Awards syllabus, learning the skills and discipline of amateur fighting and took part in community projects, including clearing vegetation around the Welcome Club in Heath Hayes, garden clearance from a nursery in Cannock and a community litter pick in Huntington.

And their dedication and commitment was acknowledged at a presenta-

tion ceremony where they each received a certificate and medal in recognition of achieving grades within the National Boxing Awards.

The young people now regularly attend the Right Stuff Boxing Club at Littleton Youth Centre in Huntington.

### Quality

Project leader Pc Andrew Whitehall said: "The project worked really well and so many partners have supported us in ensuring we are making the right impact on the right young people."

The scheme was delivered by the Chase Community Partnership, which works to ensure the district's residents are safe and to improve their quality of life within their local communities.

Nearly 30 people also took part in

Staffordshire Fire & Rescue's LIFE (Local Intervention Fire Education) course, working alongside professional firefighters over a four-week period to learn new skills like training and squad drills, extrication procedures, hose running and pumping, First Aid and fire safety in the home.

Katherine Staples, risk reduction coordinator, said: "The LIFE course has been a fantastic experience which has brought out the best in the young people involved."

Councillor Mike Holder, leader of crime and partnerships said: "The success of the recent summer projects shows that by working together with our partners we will collectively improve the quality of life for local people in Cannock Chase district."

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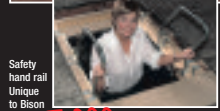
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# Threat over fitness tests

FIREFIGHTERS who opt out of planned fitness tests in Staffordshire face being demoted or moved to another job. Around 900 firefighters will be subject to the tests, which will come into force in January.

A fitness advisor and exercise equipment will be drafted in as part of the proposals.

Councillor Geoffrey Morrison, vice chairman of Staffordshire Fire and Rescue's scrutiny and performance committee, said: "These fitness tests are something we would encourage firefighters to take, especially

those on the frontline. People will be able to opt out of it but it will affect their status. "If you are not fit to do the job, perhaps you will be moving to another job in the fire service."

Councillor Bob Fraser, a member of the committee, said: "This is good for firefighters and will allow any firefighter to have themselves checked," he said.

"No one is going to lose their job. The next stage will be choosing which fire stations we will start with."

# Motorbikers pay respects at Ride to Wall

THOUSANDS of motorcyclists will travel to the National Memorial Arboretum at Alrewas next month to raise money for charity.

The bikers, from all over the country, will all be taking part in the fifth annual Ride to the Wall motorcycle event on October 6 and with just a few weeks to go, riders who have not yet registered to be part are being invited to do so online.

Ride to the Wall, now a registered charity, gives motorcyclists the chance to show their support for the Armed Forces and is the UK's largest gathering of its type with a dedicated Service of Remembrance.

Individuals, groups and chapters from particular organisations, such as regional Harley Owners Groups, The Royal British Legion Riders Branch and a large number of other owners groups and motorcycle clubs are among those taking part.

Since its inception in 2008, increasing numbers of motorcyclists have participated each year. Last year's event saw more than 15,000 people attend.

## Engraved

The event raises considerable funds for the 160-acre National Memorial Arboretum, which is part of The Royal British Legion family of charities and home to the Armed Forces Memorial.

The walls of the memorial, at which the motorcyclists will gather at the end of their ride with family and friends for the Service of Remembrance, are engraved with the names of more than 16,000 service men and women killed on duty or by terrorist action since the end of the Second World War.

For this year's ride there will be eight start points around the country.

For details of how to register online, the starting locations and times, and other information about the event, official merchandise and the National Memorial Arboretum, visit [www.rttw.org.uk](http://www.rttw.org.uk)

## Freedom parade

A PARADE will take place in Hednesford on Saturday October 13 to celebrate the Staffordshire Regiment Association being granted the freedom of the town.

# Poster contest winners to get tour of fire base

SIX competition winners and runners-up from the North Staffordshire Carers Association will receive certificates of achievement and be treated to a VIP day at Staffordshire Fire and Rescue Service's family day this weekend.

Two winners and four runners-up were selected in the bonfire safety poster competition. Dean Bradford, 11 and seven-year-old Daniel Sargeant were selected as the two competition winners and will receive their certificates on stage on Saturday. They will also have a look around fire control and take part in a demonstration as casualties.

The runners-up will also receive their certificates and tour fire control. All six posters will be displayed for the day.

# Role on police body available

RESIDENTS in Cannock Chase can nominate a Police and Crime Commissioner.

The role will see the traditional police authority made up of 17 unelected officials replaced with a single elected commissioner.

The process for nominations runs from October 8 to 19 with elections on November 15. For more visit [www.homeoffice.gov.uk](http://www.homeoffice.gov.uk)

## Anniversary fun day



MP Jeremy Lefroy opens the Little Treasures fun day



Torchbearer Caitlen Moon greets visitors to the fun day

AROUND 200 people celebrated the 10th anniversary of a Penkridge nursery.

Stafford MP Jeremy Lefroy officially cut the ribbon to mark the start of the celebrations at Little Treasures in Boscomoor Lane. Caitlen Moon, a Torchbearer who carried the Olympic flame through Great Wyrley also attended.

An invitation went out to anyone associated with the nursery over the 10 years, and nursery manager Tracy Dorricott said she was thrilled at the turnout.

"It went really well and it was so good to see so many faces from the past 10 years. Here's to the next 10," she added.

The celebrations featured a bouncy castle, fire engine, art/crafts, messy play and games and refreshments, culminating in a balloon release.

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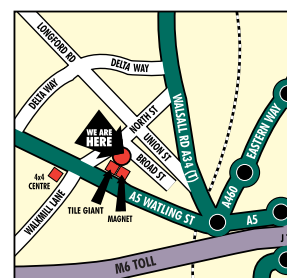


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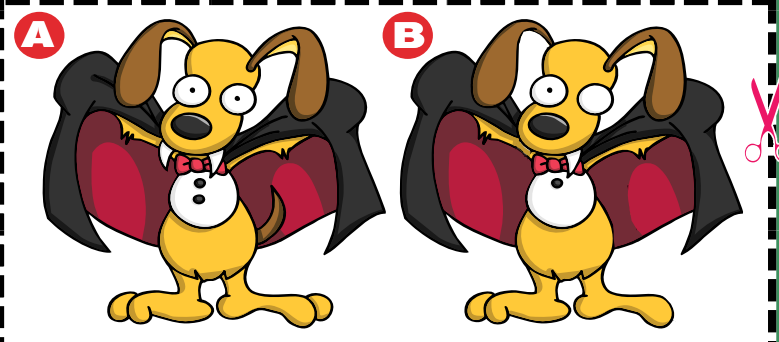
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## NEWS

### TrEADing the boards for Jack and Beanstalk

A CANNOCK-born actor is to stage his second Rugeley pantomime with his drama group TrEAD. Graham Tudor, who has appeared in the West End, went to school in Hednesford and formed TrEAD with his wife Helen Noble, formerly of Hollyoaks.

Following the success of Cinderella last year, they are putting on Jack and the Beanstalk at the Rose Theatre, featuring children from its drama school based at Littleton Green School in Huntington.

Places are available on Tuesday night classes. For junior school age, Years 3-6 classes are from 4.15 to 6.15pm and for the senior group, Year 7 plus, from 6.30 to 8.30pm. The cost of the term is £72 for 12 weeks. Call Graham on 07739 289955.

### Teachers' tea party



Press Officer Jo Wilson gets ready for the birthday celebrations at The Samuel Johnson Birthplace Museum

TEACHERS from Cannock are being invited to the launch of a new schools programme.

The Samuel Johnson Birthplace Museum, in Breadmarket Street, Lichfield, will host a Teacher's Tea Party on Wednesday 19 September to inform teachers what resources the museum has to offer primary school pupils. Joanne Wilson, museums and heritage officer, said: "We are very excited about our new programme which we have developed with Chadsmead Primary School."

"We're looking forward to welcoming teachers to our tea party event to see how a trip to the museum can bring areas of the curriculum to life in unexpected ways."

The tea party runs from 3.30 to 6pm and will give teachers the opportunity to have hands-on experience of school activities and a private view of the museum while enjoying a cup of tea and a slice of cake.

The museum is also offering buy one get one free school visit passes this September to celebrate Samuel Johnson's 303rd birthday.

For more information telephone 01543 264972 or email sjmuseum@lichfield.gov.uk

### Aldi store part of £50m scheme

**SUPERMARKET Aldi is to open a new supermarket as part of the £50m regeneration of Hednesford town centre.**

The project will also include a 165-space car park on Chase Gateway. A total of 121 spaces will be short-stay for shoppers and the remaining 44 managed by Cannock Chase District Council for long-stay parking.

The announcement comes after Costa Coffee, Pets Corner and Lloyds Pharmacy revealed they will open stores at the nearby Victoria Shopping Park, which is set to open for Christmas.

Mark Watkins, of developers St Modwen, said: "This latest deal is another example of the great attraction that our transformation of Hednesford town centre holds for leading retailers."

Tony Baines, managing director of buying for Aldi Stores UK, added: "Aldi is looking forward to welcoming shoppers to the new

store in Hednesford when it is completed next year as well as creating jobs for local people."

Construction began on the 10-acre regeneration project in April.

Chase Gateway is St Modwen's first phase of the rejuvenation scheme. It includes the redevelopment of an area fronting Market Street, Rugeley Road and Victoria Street and the delivery of a purpose-built building for Hednesford Bingo and new retail units.

### Dementia services debate

A SPECIAL event to help shape dementia services in South Staffordshire was taking place today (Thursday).

Partners involved in delivering and receiving dementia care were discussing future investment and the development of services in the workshop at Cannock Chase Golf Club, Pottal Pool.

Chief Officer (designate) for Stafford and Surrounds and Cannock Chase Clinical Commissioning Groups Andrew Donald said: "Any comments we receive from patients and patient groups and these will be fed into our future plans."



# What's On!

## Rat Pack Boys reopen theatre

TWO local entertainers are coming 'home' to reopen Rugeley's revamped theatre.

Tommy Warren and Jonny Grey perform as the Rat Pack Boys and will complete a UK tour with a date at Rugeley's Rose Theatre on Friday, September 21. The pair will perform their 'Access All Areas' show to relaunch the venue following a £52,000 revamp.

Their Legends of Swing tour has seen the Rat Pack Boys perform across the UK, and Europe, at venues including Birmingham Symphony Hall and The Museu Nacional d'Art de Catalunya, Barcelona. They say they are delighted to be part of the opening of the much-needed entertainment venue for Rugeley and hope to put the Rose Theatre back on the entertainment map.

Tickets are available from the theatre on 01889 584036, from St Joseph's Hall on 07929 423844, or from either Tommy or Jonny on 07966181584 or 07977 924386 respectively.

## Eagles tribute to fly in at Tackeroo

WHITESNAKE UK and Eagles tribute Desperado are this weekend's acts at the Tackeroo in Bracken Close, Brindley Heath.

Whitesnake UK perform from 9pm tomorrow night (Friday) with tickets at £5. Desperado follow at the same time on Saturday with entrance at £7. Call 01543 423124.

# It's rock 'n' droll to a D as comedy duo continue quest

RIFFS and laughs will rock a sold out Wolverhampton Civic Hall next month when Hollywood movie star and comedy hero Jack Black is reunited with his comic buddy Kyle Gass for the return of their rock 'n' roll band Tenacious D.

The D are back on the road with the release of their first studio album in more than six years, *Rize of the Fenix*, after a storming performance at the Download Festival in June.

Combining musicianship with a sharp eye for lampooning the excesses of the metal scene, the duo brought their band to the screen in the movie *Tenacious D* and the Pick of Destiny. It was no box office hit but has picked up a cult following on DVD.

## Killers gigs for the LG

LAS Vegas rock superstars The Killers have announced two gigs at Birmingham's LG Arena on October 31 and November 1.

Fronted by singer Brandon Flowers, the band are next week releasing their fourth studio album, *Battle Born*, and have just released a new single, *Runaways*.

The Killers have sold more than five million copies in the UK of their albums *Hot Fuss*, *Sam's Town* and *Day & Age*. The latter provided the band with their biggest hit single, *Human*, in 2008.

Tickets for the gigs range from £32.50 to £42.50 plus fees.

## Grindstone

Asked what they've been up to, Jack Black said: "Well, we've been working on our meditation, a lot of meditation."

"There's been a lot of time spent in the Himalayas. There's been a lot of nose to the grindstone. That's right, I've been nose to the ground stoned!"

And what did he like best about being in the UK. "To go out for a curry... read some Sherlock Holmes... tandem biking through parks."

The band, named after an aggressive basketball move, will be in concert at the Civic on Sunday, October 21.



Tenacious D describe their album as "journey similar to that of Gandalf in *The Lord of the Rings*". Kyle Gass and Jack Black (above) continue their quest on tour

## Autumn leaves region laughing at comic talent

IT'S going to be a funny autumn with top comedians lining up to play local venues. The latest big name is American star Chris Tucker, at Birmingham Symphony Hall (November 26).

Michael McIntyre hops around the NIA tomorrow (Friday), Saturday and next week too. Sandi Toksvig brings wit to Birmingham Town Hall on October 2. The same venue hosts Mark Watson (Oct 3) and Danny Bhoj (Oct 4). America's queen of mean Joan Rivers is at the Symphony Hall (Oct 16).

The New Alexandra Theatre hosts Jason Byrne on Saturday and coming up are Alan Davies, Roy Chubby Brown, Al Murray, Charlie Murphy, Ross Noble, Julian Clary, Paul Chowdhry, Lee Nelson, and Jethro.

At Wolverhampton venues the line-up includes Cannon and Ball, Sarah Millican, Freddie Starr, Al Murray, Danny Bhoj, Andi Osho, The Boy With Tape On His Face, Lee Hurst, Paul Chowdhry, and Alexei Sayle.

Dara O'Brian deals craic at the Civic Hall (Oct 31).

## Questions over abstract work

### REVIEW

Backstreet Theatre Company, *Songs for a New World*, Prince of Wales Centre

BACKSTREET seem to delight in staging the more unusual musical productions.

Their latest has been described as 'that very rare beast: an abstract musical'. It certainly demands the ultimate in concentration from its audience to follow what is happening.

One really has to question the reasons for choosing this type of show, which is comprised of 16 'story songs', solely connected by an overarching theme of 'hitting the wall'.

It is a fact this company has talented singers in its ranks, many of whom did their best with the available material.

As always, musical director, Gladstone Wilson led from the front with the four-piece band.

And director/choreographer, Michelle Windsor did the best she could with the available material.

Bryan Till

## Group brings the best of TV shows

CHASE Harmony present their own interpretation of a good night in next month.

In their own four-part harmony style, the show will feature the songs from shows and commercials in 'Prime Time TV' at the Prince of Wales Centre.

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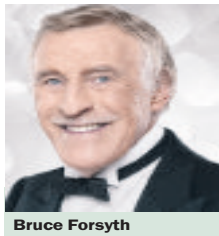




## What's On!

## SATURDAY'S TV 15.09.12

## CHOICE



## Strictly Come Dancing – The 2012 Premiere

**BBC1, 6.30pm**  
Maybe it's because wearing sparkly outfits and learning to fox-trot sounds a bit more appealing than eating bugs in the Australian jungle or spending two weeks cooped up in a house with cameras watching you 24 hours a day, but Strictly Come Dancing usually manages to attract a better class of celebrity than most reality shows. So, you should recognise at least half of the famous faces being introduced by Bruce Forsyth and Tess Daly at this red-carpet event to launch the new series. We will finally find out who's taking part tonight!

## BBC1

**6.00 Breakfast. 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live. 11.30 Lorraine's Fast, Fresh and Easy Food. (R) 12.00 BBC News: Regional News. Weather. 12.15 Football Focus. 1.00 Live Athletics. 2.30 Live Golf: The Women's British Open. 4.30 Final Score. 5.10 BBC News: Regional News. Weather. 5.30 All New Total Wipeout. Twenty memorable contestants face the course again.**  
**6.30 Strictly Come Dancing – The 2012 Premiere.** Bruce Forsyth and Tess Daly host a red-carpet event following this year's celebrities as they meet their professional partners, and introducing new judge Darcey Bussell.  
**7.35 Doctor Who.** The Time Lord and the Ponds arrive in a Wild West town being terrorised by a cyborg gunfinger which has an alien doctor on its hit list.  
**8.20 The National Lottery: Secret Fortune.** High-tension quiz show, presented by Nick Knowles. Best friends Kay and Karen attempt to win the top prize of £100,000.  
**9.10 Casualty.** Dylan and Tess treat an agitated pregnant woman, while Fletch tries to unravel the relationship between a teenage girl and her swimming coach.  
**10.00 BBC News: Weather. 10.20 Match of the Day.** Gary Lineker presents highlights of today's Premier League clashes, including Stoke City v Manchester City at the Britannia Stadium and Queens Park Rangers v Chelsea at Loftus Road. National Lottery Update.  
**11.50 The Football League Show. 1.05 Weather. 1.10 BBC News.**

## BBC2

**6.00 CBeebies. 7.00 CBBC. 12.00 Film: The Treasure of Pancho Villa. (1955) 1.30 Film: She Wore a Yellow Ribbon. (1949) 3.15 Escape to the Country. (R) 3.45 Flog It! (R) 4.30 Live Golf: The Women's British Open. 5.00 One Man and His Dog – LIVE! 6.15 Coast. (R) 6.35 Wartime Farm. Ruth Goodman, Alex Langlands and Peter Ginn experience conditions faced by British farmers in 1940, as rationing took hold and Nazi bombing raids intensified. (R) 7.35 Dad's Army. Mainwaring and the crew of a downed German aircraft. Comedy, starring Arthur Lowe. (R) 8.10 Vikings. Neil Oliver explores the history of the Norse warriors, beginning by examining their ancient ancestry and charting Scandinavia's prehistoric landscape. (R) 9.10 QI XL. An extended edition of the quiz, as Stephen Fry asks Victoria Coren, Bill Bailey, Jimmy Carr and Alan Davies questions about words beginning with J. 9.55 The Thick of It. Former Cabinet minister Nicola Murray finds herself facing a new set of pressures in opposition, and begins to worry about whether she can rely on her party colleagues. 10.25 Clinton. New series. The story of the former American president. 11.25 Film: The Special Relationship. (2010) Fact-based political drama starring Michael Sheen. 12.50 Film: A Study in Terror. Thriller, with John Neville. (1965).**

## ITV1

**6.00 CITV: CITV. 9.25 ITV News. 9.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. 10.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. 11.20 Dickinson's Real Deal. (R) 12.20 The X Factor. (R) 1.25 ITV News: Weather. 1.40 Film: Nim's Island. (2008) 3.25 Film: Licence to Kill. (1989) 5.55 Regional Programme: Weather. 6.10 ITV News: Weather. 6.25 New You've Been Framed! 6.55 Fool Britannia. Hidden-camera pranks, with Dom Joly. 7.25 Red or Black? Eight more contestants compete to win a huge cash prize by guessing the outcome of stunts and challenges, including a darting duel between Phil Taylor and Adrian Lewis. Continues after The X Factor. 8.10 The X Factor. Gary Barlow, Nicole Scherzinger, Tulisa and Louis Walsh continue their search for the next big thing in music. Dermot O'Leary hosts. 9.10 Red or Black? Canadian singer Nelly Furtado performs as the four remaining contestants face further challenges – but only one will be given a chance to take home the huge cash prize. 9.55 The Jonathan Ross Show. The host chats to Canadian pop sensation Justin Bieber, TV sport presenter Clare Balding and film star Liam Neeson, and the Killers perform their new single. 10.55 ITV News: Weather. 11.10 Film: Disclosure. (1994) Thriller, starring Michael Douglas and Demi Moore. 1.30 The Store. ITV News. 3.00 The Big Bang Theory. (R) 3.45 ITV Nightshift. 5.30 ITV Morning News.**

## CHANNEL 4

**6.00 The Treacle People. (R) 6.10 The Hoobs. (R) 6.35 British F3 International Series. 7.00 The Grid. 7.25 Freestarts on 4. 7.55 The Morning Line. 8.55 T4: Bourjois Boutique. 9.00 T4: iTunes Festival 2012: T4 Highlights. 9.30 T4: New Girl. 10.00 T4: Bourjois Boutique. 10.10 T4: New Girl. 10.40 T4: Revenge. 11.40 T4: Bourjois Boutique. 11.45 T4: Suburbatory. 12.25 T4: The Big Bang Theory. (R) 1.25 T4: The Big Bang Theory. (R) Channel 4 Racing. 4.30 The Simpsons. (R) 5.05 Channel 4 News. 5.35 4thought.tv. 5.40 Film: Transformers. (2007) Sci-fi action adventure, starring Shia LaBeouf. 8.20 Comedy World Cup. New series. David Tennant asks the questions as two teams of comedians from across the generations compete to showcase their knowledge of comedy. 9.20 The Million Pound Drop Live. Davina McCall presents the quiz show in which contestants can win £1million. They are challenged to place large quantities of the cash over trapezoids and face a series of questions, the wrong answers to which will lose them money every time they slip up. 10.55 Film: Hostage. (2005) A former hostage negotiator draws on his old skills to save children held captive in their own home by a gang of crazed delinquents. Thriller, with Bruce Willis and Kevin Pollak. 1.10 Film: The Clay Bird. (2002) Drama, starring Nurul Islam Bablu. 2.55 The Bypass. (R) 3.10 Hollywoods. (R) 5.15 Brain Damage. (R) 5.20 Countdown. (R)**

## CHANNEL 5

**6.00 Milkshake! 10.00 Power Rangers Samurai. 10.35 Batman: The Brave and the Bold. 11.10 Emergency Bikers. (R) 12.10 Cowboy Builders. (R) 1.10 Film: Mystery Woman. (2003) Whodunit, starring Kellie Martin. 2.50 David Copperfield. (R) 6.20 5 News Weekend. 6.25 Film: Wyatt Earp. (1994) The life of the legendary lawman, from his early youth to his days as the feared and respected town marshal who engineered the gunfight at the OK Corral, a tragic confrontation with a notorious outlaw gang. Western, starring Kevin Costner. 10.00 CSI: Miami. Three men are released from prison after being cleared of a 1992 murder – but one of them is found dead shortly afterwards, and the clues suggest a link to the original crime. 10.55 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation. The discovery of a body in a chimney leads Catherine and Warrick to reopen inquiries into the disappearance of a teenage girl. (R) 11.55 Inside Hollywood. Magazine show, with location reports, news and views from behind the scenes. (R) 12.00 SuperCasino. Live interactive gaming. 4.00 HouseBusters. Life-enhancing changes to a home. (R) 4.25 Divine Designs. Churches designed by Christopher Wren. Last in the series. (R) 4.50 County Secrets. (R) 5.00 Hana's Helpline. (R) 5.10 The Milkshake! Show. Shake makes lunch for everyone. (R) 5.35 Thomas & Friends. (R) 5.45 Roary the Racing Car. Big Chris appears on TV. (R)**

## DIGITAL

**BBC Three**  
**7.00 Great Movie Mistakes 8.00 Top Gear 9.00 Live at the Apollo 10.00 Greg Davies: Firing Cheeseballs at a Dog 11.00 Family Guy 11.45 American Dad! BBC Four**  
**7.00 Human Planet 8.00 Mission to Mars: A Horizon Special 9.00 Inspector Montalbano 10.40 The InterCity 125: The Age of the Train 11.40 The Three Rocketeers ITV2**  
**3.05 The X Factor 4.05 The Xtra Factor 5.10 Film: Cool Runnings (1993) 7.05 Film: Dragonheart (1996) 9.10 The Xtra Factor 10.10 Celebrity Juice 10.55 Film: Happy Gilmore (1996) ITV3**  
**2.55 Agatha Christie's Poirot 5.00 Downton Abbey 7.00 Foyle's War 9.00 Midsomer Murders 11.00 Crime Connections ITV4**  
**3.15 British Superbike Championship Highlights 4.15 Film: Support Your Local Gunfighter (1971) 6.15 The World's Wildest Police Videos 7.00 Cycling: Tour of Britain 8.00 River Monsters 9.00 Film: The Game (1997) 11.35 Film: The Exorcist (1973) E4**  
**3.50 Film: Home Alone 2: Lost in New York (1992) 6.15 The Big Bang Theory 7.10 How I Met Your Mother 8.10 Rules of Engagement 9.10 Film: Wedding Crashers (2005) 11.30 The Inbetweeners Film4**  
**2.50 Caroline (2009) 4.55 Roman Holiday (1953) 7.15 Laws of Attraction (2004) Romantic comedy, with Pierce Brosnan and Julianne Moore. 9.00 Patriot Games (1992) Political thriller, starring Harrison Ford. 11.15 Scary Movie (2000)**

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## CHOICE



Mark Dixon

**Eddie Stobart: Trucks and Trailers**  
**Channel 5, 11.25am**  
 Channel 5 loves a good trucking programme – a quick glance through the schedules will show you that. The adventures of a bunch of highly paid, death-defying Canadians and Americans driving their cargo to and from some of the most inhospitable places on Earth in Ice Road Truckers has been little short of jaw-dropping. This home-grown offering is a lot less do-or-die, but it still makes for good viewing. In this episode, a trucking convoy journeys through the Alps on a 1200-mile trip to deliver tyres to a Formula One test race in Italy.

## BBC1

**6.00 Breakfast.** **8.30** The Andrew Marr Show. **9.30** Live Athletics. **1.30** BBC News: Weather. **1.45** Bargain Hunt. (R) **2.30** Cash in the Attic. (R) **3.15** Escape to the Country. (R) **4.00** Lifeline. **4.10** Points of View. **4.25** Songs of Praise. **5.00** Planet Earth Live: A Lion's Tale. **6.00** BBC News: Regional News; Weather. **6.30** **Fake or Fortune?** New series. Fiona Bruce and expert Philip Mould investigate art with mysterious origins, beginning by helping a man who believes he owns a painting by French artist Edgar Degas. **7.30** **Countryside.** Matt Baker explores the beauty of the Nottinghamshire countryside, as captured through the writing of DH Lawrence, and Adam Henson goes shepherding in the Swiss Alps. Including Weather for the Week Ahead. **8.30** **Inspector George Gently.** The detective is accused of fabricating evidence against an old adversary and a former colleague from London arrives to offer his support. With Kevin Whately. Last in the series. **10.00** BBC News: Regional News; Weather. **10.25** Match of the Day 2. **11.15** **In with the Flynns.** Liam goes snooping round a neighbour's home. (R) **11.45** **Film: Two for the Money.** (2005) Gambling drama, with Al Pacino. **1.40** Weatherview. **1.45** Sign Zone: Snowdonia – A Year in the Wild. (R) **2.45** Her Cops. (R) **3.45** Good Cop. (R) **4.45** BBC News.

## BBC2

**6.00** CBeebies. **7.00** CBBC. **7.30** Match of the Day. (R) **9.00** CBBC. **10.00** Saturday Kitchen Best Bits. **11.30** The Great British Bake Off. (R) **12.30** Live MotoGP. **2.00** Live Golf: The Women's British Open. **5.00** One Man and His Dog – LIVE! **6.15** **Rugby League.** **7.15** **Richard Hammond's Crash Course.** The host visits Dallas-Fort Worth Airport in Texas for an encounter with the Striker – the world's most powerful fire engine – and experiences the training its crew must undergo. **8.00** **China on Four Wheels.** Anita Rani and Justin Rowlett explore the contrasting faces of modern China on the concluding leg of their journey to Shanghai, including potholed roads and a wine chateau. **9.00** **Dragons' Den.** A Welsh grandmother charms the Dragons as she tries to secure investment for her food website, while the usual rules of the Den are disregarded during a pitch for a haircare brand. **10.00** **Mock the Week.** Radio 4 favourite Milton Jones and Irish comedian Ed Byrne join Dara O Briain, Hugh Dennis, Andy Parsons and Chris Addison for another round of the satirical news quiz. (R) **10.30** **Hilary Devey's Women at the Top.** Conclusion. The entrepreneur explores ways to help women prosper in the workplace, and assesses the effectiveness of policies instituted by some of Britain's biggest companies. (R) **11.30** Athletics. **12.10** BBC News. **4.05** Close.

## ITV1

**6.00** CITV: CITV. **9.25** ITV News. **9.30** House Gift. (R) **10.25** There's No Taste Like Home. (R) **11.25** The Hungry Sailors. (R) **12.20** ITV News: Weather. **12.30** The X Factor. (R) **1.35** Murder, She Wrote. (R) **2.30** Film: Columbo: A Bird in the Hand. (1992) **4.25** Doc Martin. (R) **5.25** The Talent Show Story. (R) **6.25** **Regional Programme;** Weather. **6.45** **ITV News:** Weather. **7.00** **The Chase: Celebrity Special.** Dan Lobb, Jodie Prenger, Chris Packham and Jennie McAlpine try to win thousands of pounds for charity by outwitting one of the show's resident trivia experts. **8.00** **The X Factor.** Judges Gary Barlow, Nicole Scherzinger, Tulisa and Louis Walsh continue their search for a new singing sensation by putting more hopefuls through their paces. **9.00** **Downfall.** New series. (Shirley MacLaine) arrives at Downton for Matthew and Mary's wedding – but the couple are struggling to stay united ahead of their big day. **10.30** **ITV News:** Weather. **10.45** **Piers Morgan's Life Stories: Roger Moore.** The actor recalls the highs and lows of his acting career and personal life, lifts the lid on his four marriages and tells the story of his upbringing in south London. (R) **11.50** **Premiership Rugby Union.** **12.45** The Store. ITV News Headlines. **2.45** British Superbike Championship Highlights. **3.40** Motorsport UK. **4.30** ITV Nightscreen. **5.30** ITV Morning News.

## CHANNEL 4

**6.05** The Treacle People. (R) **6.15** The Hoobs. (R) **6.40** Ironman 2012. **7.05** Strathelyde Park Triathlon. **8.00** Will & Grace. (R) **8.25** Will & Grace. (R) **8.55** Frasier. (R) **9.25** Frasier. (R) **10.00** Sunday Brunch. **12.30** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **1.00** The Big Bang Theory. (R) **1.30** The Simpsons. (R) **2.00** Film: The Spy Next Door. (2010) **3.45** Deal or No Deal. **4.45** Come Dine with Me: Ireland. **5.20** Come Dine with Me: Ireland. **5.55** Come Dine with Me: Ireland. **6.20** **Come Dine with Me: Ireland.** A nervous Emma Carr hosts her first-ever dinner party, with a caricaturist helping to show her guests' true colours. **6.50** **Come Dine with Me: Ireland.** Martin Butler hosts the final dinner party in Dublin. Last in the series. **7.20** **Channel 4 News.** **7.50** **4thought.tv.** A Buddhist nun explains how art helped her find peace. **7.55** **The Political Slot.** With Green Party of England and Wales leader Natalie Bennett. **8.00** **Fatal Flight 447: Chaos in the Cockpit.** The facts behind the crash of the Air France flight in June 2009. **9.00** **Big Fat Quiz of the 80s.** New series. Jimmy Carr grills celebrities on decades gone by, beginning with the 1980s. Jonathan Ross, Jason Manford, Micky Flanagan and Stephen Mangan answer the questions. **10.35** **Alan Carr: Chatty Man.** With Pink and Gok Wan. (R) **11.40** **Shameless.** (R) **12.45** American Football Live. **4.45** Deal or No Deal. (R) **5.40** Baking Mad with Eric Lanlard. (R)

## CHANNEL 5

**6.00** Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. **6.05** Roary the Racing Car. (R) **6.15** Fifi and the Flowerbuds. (R) **6.25** City of Friends. (R) **6.40** The Mr Men Show. (R) **6.50** Castle Farm. (R) **6.55** Abby's Flying Fairy School. (R) **7.05** Rookab and Custard Too. (R) **7.15** Bananas in Pyjamas. (R) **7.25** Play! (R) **7.30** Noddy in Toyland. (R) **7.50** Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. (R) **7.55** Little Princess. (R) **8.05** The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. (R) **8.25** Angelina Ballerina. **8.40** Rupert Bear. (R) **8.55** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. (R) **9.10** Toby's Travelling Circus. **9.25** Roary the Racing Car. (R) **9.40** Jelly Jamm. (R) **10.00** Power Rangers Samurai. **10.35** Batman: The Brave and the Bold. **11.10** Looney Tunes. (R) **11.15** Looney Tunes. (R) **11.25** Eddie Stobart: Trucks and Trailers. (R) **12.25** Film: Capricorn One. (1977) **2.45** Film: The Fifth Element. (1997) **5.05** Film: Willy Wonka & the Chocolate Factory. (1971) **7.10** **5 News Weekend.** **7.15** **Film: Jackie Chan's The Medallion.** (2003) Comedy adventure, starring Jackie Chan, Lee Evans and Claire Foran. **9.00** **Film: Swordfish.** (2001) A computer hacker is recruited by a former anti-terrorist agent to embezzle millions from the US government. Thriller, with John Travolta, Hugh Jackman. **11.00** **Film: Desperado.** (1995) Action thriller, starring Antonio Banderas. **1.00** SuperCasino. **4.00** The FBI Files. (R) **4.50** County Secrets. (R) **5.00** Hana's Helpline. (R) **5.10** The Milkshake! Show. (R) **5.35** Thomas & Friends. (R) **5.45** Roary the Racing Car. (R)

## DIGITAL

**BBC Three**  
**7.00** Be Your Own Boss **8.00** Film: Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (2008) **10.00** Family Guy **10.45** Bad Education **11.15** American Dad!  
**BBC Four**  
**7.00** Julia Bradbury's Canal Walks **7.30** The Story of Light Entertainment **9.00** The Pharaoh Who Conquered the Sea **10.40** Film: Loose Cannons (2010) **11.45** British Passions on Film  
**ITV2**  
**3.00** Film: Dennis (1993) **4.50** The X Factor **5.55** The X Factor **6.55** Film: Dante's Peak (1997) **9.00** The X Factor **10.00** Film: Hot Fuzz (2007)  
**ITV3**  
**5.05** Film: On the Buses (1971) **6.55** Lewis. A woman's murder is copied from the pages of a novel. **9.00** Film: Rain Man (1988) **11.45** Cracker  
**ITV4**  
**2.30** Live Cycling: Tour of Britain. Stage eight from Reigate to Guildford. **4.30** Police, Camera, Action! **5.00** Film: Weekend at Bernie's (1989) **7.00** Cycling: Tour of Britain **8.00** Premiership Rugby Union **9.00** An Audience with Billy Connolly **10.10** Film: Coogan's Bluff (1968)  
**E4**  
**3.50** New Girl **4.20** Suburgatory **4.50** Revenge **5.50** The Big Bang Theory **7.40** Film: Ever After: A Cinderella Story (1998) **10.00** The Inbetweeners **11.05** 2 Broke Girls **11.35** New Girl  
**Film4**  
**3.20** Von Ryan's Express (1965) **5.35** Dr Dolittle (1998) **7.15** Stormbreaker (2006) **9.00** Clear and Present Danger (1994) Action thriller, with Harrison Ford. **11.45** Good Luck Chuck (2007)

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## What's On!

### Film Choices

#### MONDAY

##### Out of Time, Channel 5, 10pm

The chief of police in a small Florida town is having an affair with a married woman who is dying of cancer. When his lover and her abusive husband are both murdered, he becomes the prime suspect in the case – and his ex-wife is appointed as the investigating officer. Crime thriller, starring Denzel Washington, Eva Mendes, Dean Cain and Sanaa Lathan. (2003)

#### TUESDAY

##### Trust the Man, BBC1, 11.45pm

Two Manhattan-based couples hit a rocky patch in their relationships. Husband and wife Tom and Rebecca look to therapy and counselling to try to save their ailing marriage, while Tobey and Elaine decide to go their separate ways after seven difficult years together. Comedy drama, with David Duchovny, Julianne Moore, Billy Crudup and Maggie Gyllenhaal. (2005)

#### WEDNESDAY

##### Full Metal Jacket, ITV1, 10.35pm

Raw Marine recruits undergo gruelling basic training for the Vietnam War under the command of a domineering drill sergeant whose methods lead to the breakdown of one of his cadets. Eventually, some of the fully trained soldiers get their first taste of combat in 1968. Stanley Kubrick's drama, starring Matthew Modine, Adam Baldwin, Vincent D'Onofrio and R Lee Ermy. (1987)



Casino Royale, Friday, ITV1, 10.35pm

#### THURSDAY

##### Taken in Broad Daylight, BBC1, 11.35pm

Fact-based thriller about a teenage girl who is kidnapped and held hostage for six days. However, far from cracking up during her traumatic experience, she keeps her wits about her, manipulating her captor and leaving subtle clues for the police to ensure rescue as the abductor moves her across state lines. Fact-based thriller, with Sara Canning, James Van Der Beek, LeVar Burton and Diana Reis. (2009)

#### FRIDAY

##### Casino Royale, ITV1, 10.35pm

James Bond achieves his '00' status and is dispatched on the trail of Le Chiffre, an international criminal financing terrorist organisations around the world. Bond's investigation leads to a casino in Montenegro, where he takes part in a high-stakes poker game in a bid to bankrupt Le Chiffre and put an end to his plans. Spy thriller, directed by Martin Campbell and starring Daniel Craig in his first outing as 007, with Eva Green, Mads Mikkelsen, Judi Dench and Giancarlo Giannini. (2006)

### Pick of the Week

## Family matters are set to complicate events

The First World War is over, Sybil is pregnant with her first child and Mary is about to marry Matthew.

So, as we enter 1920, everything is well in the Crawley family's world, right?

Well, not exactly – after all, this is a TV drama, so misery, scandal, back-biting, chaos and tragedy can only be just around the corner.

Certainly life at Downton Abbey may never be the same again – Bates remains in jail after being wrongly convicted of his wife's murder, and butler Carson is struggling to find the 'right' kind of person to join the staff; it seems that the war has changed everything and people are no longer happy to spend their lives waiting hand and foot on wealthy aristocrats, not when they may have a chance to make something of themselves.

Of course the biggest news from this third series is that Oscar-winning Hollywood megastar Shirley MacLaine is joining the cast as Cora's redoubtable mother, Martha Levinson, who makes the journey across the

Atlantic for the big Crawley wedding.

"In those days the American women who had money were looking for titles, and the titled men were looking for American money," explains MacLaine. "So Martha fits the bill of the American matriarch who lands across the pond with money. And they expect her to finance whatever's wrong with Downton Abbey."

The actress, whose previous projects include such massive cinematic hits as Sweet Charity, Terms of Endearment, The Apartment and Steel Dawn, will only be appearing in a handful of episodes, but is sure that her character will live long in the memory.

"She is extremely outspoken. Martha's basic role in these episodes is to plead with the Dowager Countess to wrest herself, if possible, away from tradition, because that's what caused the war in the first place, and to become more flexible in relating to change."

What viewers are looking forward to is seeing MacLaine and Maggie Smith (who plays the Dowager Countess), lock horns on screen – after all, they

are two of the acting game's most formidable, experienced and talented women.

But MacLaine lets us down slightly by claiming there won't be fireworks between them: "The gunfight at the OK Corral does not happen between Maggie and me. We do a little sparring, we have our moments, but it's more sophisticated than that. Martha is not just a crass, cranky American coming in there to call a spade a spade. She's very smart and to a large extent sensitive as to what's going on with all her daughter's children."

"And Maggie's character is so well established, but you have to look beyond what is her expected reaction to Martha. The Dowager Countess is a human being who has complications and a past of some pain that Martha understands – and to some extent addresses herself to."

MacLaine does, however, admit that she had a grand old time, and especially enjoyed filming at Highclere Castle, which doubles as Downton.

She's also sure we're going to enjoy watching her character in action – and, frankly, we can't wait to see her.



Shirley MacLaine stars in Downton Abbey, Sunday, ITV1, 9pm

### Best of the Rest

#### MONDAY

##### Paul O'Grady: For the Love of Dogs, ITV1, 8pm

Like Animal Hospital before it, this show tugs on the heartstrings with more skill than a seasoned cellist, but it's Paul O'Grady's quick wit and no-nonsense approach that makes it more than just an attempt to grab ratings. Once more POG is working with the canines at the world famous Battersea Dogs & Cats Home, and has his hands full when a behaviourist enlists him to work with a Rottweiler-bull mastiff cross with a fear of men. (Maybe Paul should adopt the guise of former alias Lily Savage). Plus, clinic workers attempt to find a home for two dogs that have developed a close friendship, and the centre receives a visit from model and centre ambassador David Gandy.

#### TUESDAY

##### Derren Brown: Svengali, Channel 4, 9pm

He's back. Channel 4's favourite illusionist who has spent the past decade fronting shows such as Miracles for Sale, Derren Brown: Mind Control, and Messiah. A few months ago DB took his award-winning show to Nottingham's Theatre Royal, where he attempted to extract secret confessions from the audience, played unforgettable mind games and revealed the wonder of Svengali – an automaton allegedly created in the image of its owner's dead son. Was it used in early Victorian magic shows, or is it another of Brown's eerie games? Tune in to this unnerving gig and make up your own mind.

#### The Rob Brydon Show, BBC2, 10pm

It may have been in the pipeline for five years but a film version of classic cops and robbers saga The Sweeney has finally made it onto the big screen after a few false starts. Star Ray Winstone is doing his best to ensure everybody knows about it, so, aside from plugging the movie, he attempts to teach Rob how to act tough. Also this week, Brian Cox will be discussing his efforts to make science accessible for everyone. And as this series often seems like just an excuse for Rob Brydon to have a singalong with some of his celebrity mates, he'll no doubt jump at the chance to share the musical spotlight with Stereophonics singer Kelly Jones.

#### WEDNESDAY

##### Mrs Biggs, ITV1, 9pm

Plenty of people wrote off this drama before it even began – after all, the story of The Great Train Robbery had already been told many times, what more could be said? As it turns out, plenty. The tale of Charmian Biggs, wife of the notorious Ronnie, has been enthralling so far, and it takes more twists and turns here. After having an affair and an abortion, Charmian helps plan Ronnie's escape and the family relocate to Australia. She falls pregnant again with their third son, and life seems to be getting back on track – until events back home suggest the police

haven't given up hope of finding the Biggs' just yet. Sheridan Smith and Danny Mays star.

#### Dallas, Channel 5, 9pm

Hurray! JR's arch enemy Cliff Barnes is back for the first time in more than 15 years, and it's just like old times. After the smirking oil baron calmly scuppers John Ross's plan to double-cross him, JR decides to move back to Southfork. However, the Ewings are faced with more problems when Cliff resurfaces and tries to reconnect with his nephew Christopher. Elsewhere, Tommy has intriguing news for Rebecca.

#### THURSDAY

##### Good Cop, BBC1, 9pm

Few actors who've left the bright lights of Chester's Hollyoaks behind in search of a good, meaty role in telly have actually found it. But clearly with Warren Brown we're dealing with a whole different kettle of fish – and he's settled into the role of PC Paul Rocksavage rather nicely. But like all good things, this series must come to an end. In the final instalment, Sav seems to be having a bit of trouble with not

letting his emotions get in the way of his work; in fact, his quest to get Jonjo arrested for Andy's murder draws suspicion from Costello and Sarge. But it's only when a set-up with Amanda goes very wrong, that the cop decides to do things his way...

#### FRIDAY

##### Parade's End, BBC2, 9pm

Given Benedict Cumberbatch's piping hot status, it was a curious decision by the BBC to take a drama adapted by internationally acclaimed writer Tom Stoppard and then put it on BBC2 on a Friday night. If ever a show had a prime-time Sunday night slot stamped all over it, it was this one. Now the final part of the tale based on Ford Madox Ford's quartet of novels sees Christopher sent to the front line of the First World War with McKennie and Perowne, while Valentine waits for news from him. And Sylvia makes a final desperate bid to win back his love.

#### Being Liverpool, Channel 5, 9pm

It's been a difficult summer for Liverpool. Kop favourite Kenny Dalglish left the club for a second time, and Brendan Rogers was poached from Swansea City. Sadly the first few games of the new season haven't exactly gone to plan – with some fans pinpointing the club's inability to sign a new striker at the heart of the team's problems. So, with turmoil on and off the pitch, this new, six-part series should prove fascinating. Filming began just days after Liverpool's defeat to Chelsea in the FA Cup final, and cameras have been allowed full access to all aspects of the club and players.



Derren Brown: Svengali, Tuesday, Channel 4, 9pm



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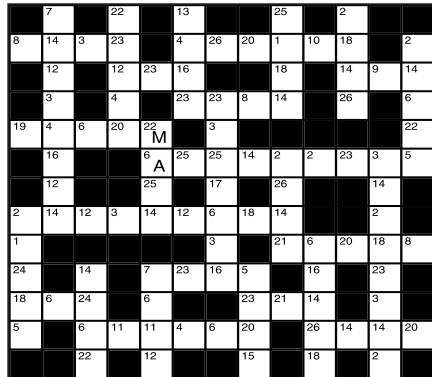
## What's On!

## Brain Gym

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## Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

O	B	S	N	V	G	P	U	F	Q	Y	D	Z
W	K	L	T	C	X	J	R	A	I	M	H	E

## Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.

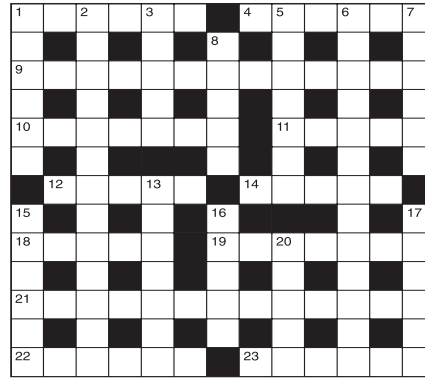
## Cryptic Clues:

## Across

1. I put in a call for ventilation (6)
4. It's always one thing or the other (6)
9. The bird song that wakes you at dawn? (7,6)
10. The height of a severe storm (7)
11. Flier has a sash in the Royal Navy (5)
12. You're going places if they're in the right direction (5)
14. It may be trodden on in flight (5)
18. Inferior ox, for example (5)
19. Citizen under discussion (7)
21. It helps to drive one round the bend (8,5)
22. Passes on the messages about the races? (6)
23. A guess about customs (6)

## Down

1. An abnormal appetite, no argument about that (6)
2. In turn it benefits the lucky gambler (8,5)
3. I've an arrangement that's simple (5)
5. Get what is left (7)
6. Though yellow at heart, it won't run (4-6,3)
7. Mounting a revolt, perhaps (6)
8. An entrance of ornamental stone (5)
13. Show a beam that is left (7)
15. A cloister will be more confined without it (6)
16. Employing some various ingredients (5)
17. Illicit photographs? (6)
20. They are certainly biased but game (5)



## Quick Clues:

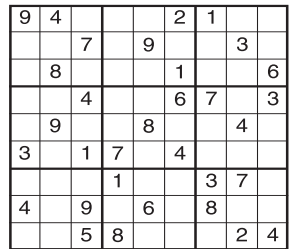
## Across

1. Condition (6)
4. Over-indulge (6)
9. Remonstrance (13)
10. Anguish (7)
11. Abide (5)
12. Suppress (5)
14. Not suitable (5)
18. Of a town (5)
19. Lean (7)
21. Theme (7-6)
22. Happenings (6)
23. Astral (6)

## Down

1. Abundance (6)
2. Calm (13)
3. Hurry (5)
5. Forsake (7)
6. Premier (5,8)
7. Fester (6)
8. Out of practice (5)
13. Merciful (7)
15. Chase (6)
16. Hackneyed (5)
17. Cordial (6)
20. Sea-map (5)

## Sudoku



Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

## LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS:

1	3	5	1	8	3	6	7	2
9	4	6	1	2	7	3	5	8
2	8	7	5	3	1	9	4	6
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3	6	8	7	9	2	4	1	5
7	5	2	6	1	4	9	8	3
8	2	4	9	7	6	3	1	5
5	7	3	2	4	1	8	6	9
6	9	1	3	5	8	2	4	7

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Happy landing; 7 Reset; 8 Nurse; 9 Gig; 10 Calendars; 11 Relief; 12 Eclair; 15 Eye-opener; 17 Ash; 18 Extra; 19 Idled; 21 Broken hearts. Down: Head gardener; 2 Yes; 3 Attila; 4 Dining-car; 5 Norma; 6 Leisure hours; 7 Regal; 10 Cheapskate; 13 Award; 14 Ensign; 16 Enter; 20 Lee. QUICK - Across: 1 Illumination; 7 Foyer; 8 Steer; 9 Fee; 10 Shakespear; 11 Exhume; 12 Porter; 15 Animosity; 17 Asp; 18 Litho; 19 Level; 21 Protestation. Down: 1 Insufferable; 2 May; 3 Normal; 4 Testimony; 5 Obese; 6 Prescription; 7 Fresh; 10 Somnolent; 13 Trail; 14 Titles; 16 Inter; 20 Via. LAST WEEK'S CIRCLED SOLUTION: The letter represented by the question mark is C. Coventry, Lincoln, Carlisle, all English cities.

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Three-bed detached in Sandy Lane, Cannock, available through Boot & Son

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**CANNOCK'S N°1 CHOICE FOR LETTINGS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### SANDPIPER CLOSE



- Unfurnished
- ground floor flat
- Hallway
- Lounge
- 1 Bedroom.
- Bathroom
- fitted kitchen
- Heating
- d/gl
- Parking

**£375 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### WATERLOO MEWS



- Unfurnished
- town house
- Lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- One bedroom
- Bathroom
- Heating
- Parking

**£395 pcm Sorry No DSS**

### GREAT WYRLEY

#### PENNYCOURT



- Unfurnished
- 2nd floor flat
- Communal entrance.
- Hallway
- Kitchen.
- Lounge.
- Bathroom.
- 2 Bedrooms.
- Heating.
- Double glazing

**£380 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### CANNOCK

#### BARNARD WAY

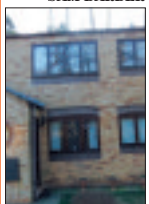


- Unfurnished modern
- town house
- Hall Lounge
- guest w.c.
- Fitted kitchen
- 3 beds.
- bathroom
- gas c/h.
- d/glazing
- Garage.
- garden

**£595 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEATH HAYES

#### SAM BARBER COURT



- Unfurnished
- 1st floor flat
- Hall. Lounge
- fitted kitchen
- 2 bedrooms
- bathroom
- heating
- parking

**£425 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### CANNOCK

#### BARNWOOD CLOSE



- Unfurnished
- Detached
- Hallway
- Lounge
- fitted kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- en.suite
- Bathroom
- Gas c/h.d/gl
- Garage

**£625 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### GENTLESHAW

#### MOORVIEW



- Unfurnished
- semi detached
- Porch.
- Hallway.w.c. off
- Kitchen/diner
- Lounge
- Utility
- 3 bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Parking

**£675 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### EVERGREEN HEIGHTS



- Unfurnished
- semi detached
- Hall. Lounge
- fitted kitchen
- 2 bedrooms.
- shower room
- double heating
- glazing
- Parking and garden

**£550 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### GREAT WYRLEY

#### WALSALL ROAD



- Unfurnished
- 1st floor flat
- own entrance.
- Lounge.
- fitted kitchen
- 3 bedrooms
- bathroom
- gas c/h. d/gl
- parking

**£550 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### CANNOCK

#### WOOTTONS COURT



- Unfurnished semi
- Hallway
- Lounge
- fitted kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Heating. d/gl
- Parking
- garden

**£460 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEATH HAYES

#### ACORN CLOSE



- Unfurnished
- back to back
- town house
- Hallway
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- 2 Bedrooms.
- Gas c/h.
- d/gl.
- Parking

**£415 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### CANNOCK

#### KENILWORTH COURT



- Unfurnished
- 1st floor flat
- Comm entrance
- Hall Lounge
- Bedroom.
- fitted kitchen
- Bathroom.
- heating.
- Parking

**£395 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### PLANTATION ROAD



- Unfurnished first floor flat
- Hallway
- Lounge
- Fitted kitchen
- Bathroom.
- Bedroom
- Double Glazing
- Gas central heating
- Rear garden

**£385pcm Sorry NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### HILL STREET



- Unfurnished
- 1 bedroom flat
- Own Access.
- Lobby.
- Kitchen
- with some appliances incl
- Lounge.
- Bathroom
- Gas central heating.
- Double glazing
- Parking

**£370pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### GREENSLADE GROVE



- Unfurnished
- 2 bedroom Flat
- Hallway.
- Lounge
- Fitted Kitchen
- Bathroom
- d/gl
- Heating
- Parking

**£395 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEDNESFORD

#### LONGACRES

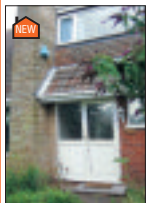


- Unfurnished
- 1st Floor Fit
- Fitted Kitchen.
- Lounge
- 1 bedroom.
- Bathroom
- D.G.
- Heating.
- Garage

**£375 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### CANNOCK

#### HEATHGAP ROAD



- Unfurnished
- detached
- Lounge/Diner
- fitted kitchen
- 3 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- gas c/h. d.gl
- Garage

**£550 pcm SORRY NO DSS**

### HEATH HAYES

#### ST JOHNS HOUSE



- Unfurnished ground floor flat
- Hall.
- Lounge.
- fitted kitchen
- 2 bedrooms.
- bathroom.
- gas central heating
- double glazing.
- Parking

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### WIMBLEBURY, FOXTAIL WAY



- Mid Town House
- Hallway, Lounge
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms.
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage, Parking
- Ideal First Time Buy

**£119,995**

### CHARTERFIELD DRIVE, H. HAYES,



- Semi Detached House
- Hallway, Lounge
- Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Rear Garden
- Block Paved Driveway

**£124,950**

### HIGHFIELD ROAD, HEATH HAYES,



- 6 Bedroom Detached
- Through Hallway, W.C.
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Sitting Room, Conservatory
- Breakfast Kitchen, Utility
- 2 En-suites, Bathroom
- GCH, DG, Gardens
- Double Glazed, No Chain

**£260,000**

### CALF HEATH, QUEENS ROAD,



- Executive Detached House
- Hall, Guests w.c.
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Sitting Room
- Kitchen, Utility
- Room
- 5 Bedrooms, En-Suite
- Bathroom, G.C.H.
- Driveway, Double Garage
- Upvc D.Glazed

**£420,000**

### HEATH HAYES, BRAMPTON DRIVE,



- VENDOR WILLING TO PURCHASE FREEHOLD UPON COMPLETION
- Semi Detached House
- Hallway
- Lounge, Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Driveway, Garage

**£109,000**

### HEDNESFORD, WOODLAND COURT,



- Top Floor Apartment
- Communal
- Hallway
- Open Plan Lounge/Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms, En-Suite
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Communal Garden, Parking

**£124,950**

### HEDNESFORD, RAILWAY VIEW



- 1st Floor Apartment
- Communal
- Hallway
- Hallway
- Open Plan
- Lounge/Kitchen
- 1 Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Allocated Parking
- No Chain

**£96,950**

### HEATH HAYES, HEATH WAY



- Ground Floor Apartment
- Communal
- Hallway
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Bedroom, Bathroom
- Separate W.C.
- Upvc D.Glazed
- Allocated Parking

**£69,950**

### BROWNHILLS, BLITHFIELD ROAD,



- Semi Detached House
- Hallway, Lounge
- Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- GCH, D.Glazed
- Driveway, Garage
- Gardens

**£124,995**

### CHADSMOOR, GLENCOE DRIVE



- Semi Detached House
- Hallway, Lounge
- Conservatory
- Dining Room
- 3 Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Driveway, Gardens

**£99,950**

### HEDNESFORD, FISHER STREET



- Link detached house
- Porch, through hallway
- Guest WC, lounge
- kitchen/diner
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom, uPVC DG
- GCH, front and rear gardens
- Driveway, tandem garage

**£169,950**

### HEDNESFORD, RAWNSLEY ROAD



- Detached House
- Porch, Through Hallway
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Kitchen, Utility, W.C.
- 4 Bedrooms, En-suite
- Bathroom, Loft Room
- G.C.H. D.G.
- Mature Gardens
- Driveway, Garage

**£314,950**

### HATHERTON, LAVENDER COTTAGE



- 3 Bed Cottage
- Hallway, Guests w.c.
- Open Plan Lounge/Diner
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc D.G
- Driveway, Gardens
- Open views to rear

**£189,995**

### HEDNESFORD, CHERRY BANK



- Semi Detached Bungalow
- Hallway
- Kitchen, Lounge
- Conservatory
- 2 Bedrooms
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Driveway, Gardens

**£134,950**

### WIMBLEBURY, ALBANY DRIVE,



- 4 Bed Detached House
- Through Hallway
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Conservatory, Kitchen
- Utility, Guest W.C.
- En-Suite, Bathroom
- G.C.H. Upvc
- D.Glazed
- Driveway, NO CHAIN

**£219,995**

### HEDNESFORD, STRINGERS HILL



- Semi Detached House
- Hallway, Inner Hall, Guests w.c.
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Kitchen, 3 Bedrooms
- Bathroom, G.C.H.
- Double Glazed Windows
- Driveway, Rear Garden
- Open Views to the Rear

**£124,950**

### HEDNESFORD, RAILWAY VIEW



- Detached 3 Storey House
- Through Hallway
- Guests w.c.
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen, Upvc
- 4 Bedrooms, En-suite
- Bathroom, GCH
- Garage, Gardens, Driveway

**REDUCED £195,950**

### CANNOCK, HATHERTON ROAD



- Executive Family Home
- Impressive Reception Hall
- Guest w.c., Study
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Breakfast Kitchen, Utility
- 4 Bedrooms, En-suite
- Impressive Bathroom, GCH
- Gardens, D.Garage, Drive

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**CEDAR GROVE  
GREAT WYRLEY**

- Extended detached property
- 4 Bedrooms, 3 en suites, Family Bathroom
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen Diner
- Central heating, double glazing, Double garage
- Guest WC
- Double Glazing
- Double Garage

**£349,995**



**NO CHAIN**

**CRANMER CLOSE  
CHESLYN HAY**

- Detached family home
- 4 Double Bedrooms, En-Suite, Bathroom
- Lounge, Dining Room, Study, Kitchen, Utility, Guest WC
- Central heating
- Double glazing
- Double Garage

**Excess of £310,000**



**PINFOLD LANE  
CHESLYN HAY**

- A well presented detached property
- 4 bedrooms master with en-suite, Bathroom
- Lounge, Dining room, Kitchen, Conservatory
- Central heating, Double glazing, garage (part converted for storage)
- Utility, Study, Guest WC

**£250,000**



**SUTHERLAND ROAD  
CHESLYN HAY**

- Extended Detached property
- 4 Bedrooms, Master with En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen, Conservatory, Guest WC, Study
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Garage, Large Rear Garden

**£220,000**



**BAMPTON AVENUE  
CHASE TERRACE**

- A Link Detached Property
- Lounge, Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen, Conservatory
- 3 Bedrooms Master
- having Dressing Room and Shower Room
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Double Garage

**£197,500**



**FREMANTLE DRIVE  
WIMBLEBURY**

- A well presented detached property
- 4 Bedrooms, Master with En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- 2 Reception Rooms, Kitchen, Utility, Conservatory, Guest WC
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Garage

**£194,950**



**TRURO PLACE  
HEATH HAYES**

- Detached property situated in cul de sac location
- Lounge, dining room, fitted kitchen, downstairs W.C., 3 Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Garage, front and rear garden
- NO CHAIN

**£175,000**



**BRACKEN CLOSE  
BURNWOOD**

- A well maintained, extended link detached bungalow
- 2 bedrooms, bathroom
- Central heating, double glazing
- Multiple off road parking
- Lounge, Kitchen, utility room

**£175,000**



**NEW**

**HEDNESFORD ROAD  
CANNOCK**

- Semi detached property
- Lounge, Re-fitted kitchen, Conservatory
- 3 Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Double glazing, gas central heating
- Garage, driveway, open views to front of property
- NO CHAIN
- Recently Refurbished to a high standard

**£140,000**



**KESTREL WAY  
CHESLYN HAY**

- Semi Detached property
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, Conservatory, Utility Area in Garage
- 3 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Vendor will pay stamp duty
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Garage, Multiple Off Road Parking

**£140,000**



**NEW**

**THE RIDGEWAY  
BURNWOOD**

- Semi Detached bungalow in sort after location
- Lounge, Kitchen
- 2 bedrooms, bathroom
- Off road parking for several cars, front and rear garden
- NO CHAIN

**£140,000**



**PROGRESS GROVE  
CANNOCK**

- A Well Presented End Town House
- En-Suite, Family Bathroom
- Lounge, Dining Room, Guest WC, Kitchen
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Multiple Off Road Parking, Rear Garden
- 3 Bedrooms Master with

**£140,000**



**LODGE RISE  
BURNWOOD**

- Modern semi detached property
- Lounge, fitted kitchen, conservatory
- 3 bedrooms, family
- bathroom
- Garage
- Double glazing, Central heating
- Cul-De-Sac Location

**£134,950**



**RED LION LANE  
CANNOCK**

- An Extended End Terraced property
- Lounge, Kitchen
- 4 Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Integral Garage, Multiple Off Road Parking, Rear Garden
- Open Views to Front

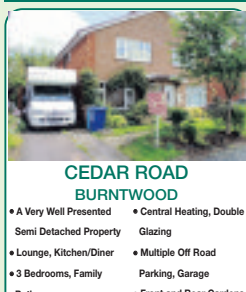
**£125,000**



**REMINGTON DRIVE  
CANNOCK**

- A very well presented bungalow
- Living Room, Kitchen, Inner hallway
- 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Situated in a complex of similar properties for the over 60's
- Close to Town Centre

**£125,000**



**CEDAR ROAD  
BURNWOOD**

- A Very Well Presented Semi Detached Property
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner
- 3 Bedrooms, Family Bathroom
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Multiple Off Road Parking, Garage
- Front and Rear Gardens

**£124,950**



**NEW**

**SUMMERFIELD ROAD  
BURNWOOD**

- A well presented terraced home
- Entrance Porch, Hallway, Guest W.C., Fitted Kitchen, Lounge Diner
- 3 Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Gas central heating, UPVC double glazing
- Rear Garden, Block Paved Driveway

**£115,995**



**NO CHAIN**

**CROSS STREET  
CHASE TERRACE**

- Traditional end terraced property
- 2 Reception rooms, fitted kitchen, downstairs w.c., Cellar
- 2 Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Gas central heating, Double glazing, Rear garden
- Close to local amenities

**£115,000**



**REDUCED**

**THE HEATH  
HEATH HAYES**

- 1st floor Apartment
- Modern open plan lounge kitchen/diner,
- 2 bedrooms, modern bathroom
- Double glazing, electric storage heating
- Loft storage space, secure allocated parking
- Village location

**£105,000**



**NO CHAIN**

**WOODLAND WAY  
BURNWOOD**

- A well presented mid-terrace property
- Newly re-fitted kitchen, lounge
- Three bedrooms and a newly re-fitted bathroom
- The property is ideal for a first time buyer or a buy to let investor
- Priced to sell

**£99,950**



**NO CHAIN**

**BAKER STREET  
BURNWOOD**

- Extended End Terrace property
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- 2 Double Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Front and Rear Garden

**£94,950**



**SAM BARBER COURT  
CANNOCK**

- A Well Presented First Floor Apartment
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Double Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Double Glazing, Electric Storage Heating
- Off Road Parking, Communal Gardens

**£85,000**



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**MAYCROFT CLOSE  
CANNOCK**

- A Semi Detached Property
- Lounge, Kitchen
- 2 Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking, Front, Side and Rear Garden
- NO CHAIN

**£85,000**



**MONTROSE CLOSE  
CHADDSMOOR**

- A one bedroom first floor flat
- Gas central heating
- Entrance Hall, Hallway, Living Room, Kitchen, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Garage Available
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### NORTON CANES Butts Close



- 3/4 Bed detached house with Garage
- En-suite ● Shower Room
- 2 Reception rooms
- Gas Central Heating
- Rear Lobby ● Utility
- Family Bathroom ● Sorry No DHSS

£725 Pcm

### CANNOCK Skipton Place



- 3 Bed Detached Bungalow
- Lounge ● Family Bathroom ● Dining Kitchen
- Enclosed Rear garden ● Front Garden
- Single Garage & Car Port ● Sorry No DHSS

£675 Pcm

### GREAT WYRLEY Shaws Lane



- 2 Bed Detached Bungalow with Garage
- Lounge ● Fitted Kitchen ● Conservatory
- Loft Room ● Off Road Parking ● Gas Central Heating
- Double Glazing ● Sorry No DHSS

£550 Pcm

### WALSALL WOOD Bridgewater Close



- 3 Bed Fully Furnished Terrace
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating ● Rear Garden
- Sorry No DHSS

£525 Pcm

### BROWNHILLS LAPWING CLOSE



- 2 Bed Apartment
- Double Glazing & Electric Heating ● Bathroom
- Kitchen ● Lounge
- Allocated Parking
- Sorry NO DHSS

£510 PCM

### HEDNESFORD Railway View



- 2 Bed Second Floor Apartment
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£495 Pcm

### TOWER ROAD Cannock



- Two bed Semi Detached Property
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Side Entrance Hall ● Utility Room/Guest WC
- Two Double Bedrooms and Shower Room
- Central heating double glazing
- Front and rear gardens.

£495

### CANNOCK Manor Avenue



- 2 Bed Ground Floor Apartment
- Gas Central Heating & Double Glazing
- Living Room ● Fitted Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£495 Pcm

### SHELFIELD Hayling Court



- 2 Bed Ground Floor Apartment
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Double Glazing & Gas Central Heating
- Allocated Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£475 Pcm

### BROWNHILLS BRIDGESIDE CLOSE



- 2 Bed Second Floor Apartment
- Lounge Diner ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Double glazing ● Electric Heating
- Allocated & Visitor Parking ● Sorry No DHSS

£475 PCM

### CANNOCK Broad Street



- 2 Bed Terrace with Rear Courtyard
- Lounge ● Kitchen ● Bathroom
- Double Glazing ● Electric Heating
- Allocated Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£450 Pcm

### HEDNESFORD Raden Court



- 2 Bed Apartment with Communal Garden
- Open Plan Lounge / Kitchen ● bathroom
- Gas Central Heating ● Double Glazing
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DHSS

£450 PCM

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- Refurbished 1 Bed Flat
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### CANNOCK Trinity Close



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## AUCTION AUTUMN 2012 ENTRIES INVITED



**192 HIGH STREET, CHASETOWN**  
IMPROVED AND EXTENDED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED DORMER BUNGALOW  
Located Within Easy Reach Of Facilities

- Entrance lobby
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Breakfast kitchen
- Three bedrooms (ground floor)
- Family bathroom
- Utility room
- Landing
- Master bedroom (first floor)
- En-suite bathroom
- Detached garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Inspection recommended

**\$229,950 FREEHOLD**

### PENDLE HOUSE, 13 SANDY LANE, CANNOCK



**NO CHAIN**

IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE OFFERING FOUR DOUBLE BEDROOMS AND FOUR RECEPTION ROOMS  
Located In Cannock Prime Residential Area Of Sandy Hill Close To Cannock Chase Area Noted For Its Outstanding Natural Beauty

- Canopy porch and enclosed porch
- Central reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Sitting room
- Study
- Double glazed conservatory
- Refitted kitchen
- Refitted utility room
- Central galleried landing
- Four double bedrooms
- Refitted en-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Detached double width garage
- Well stocked gardens
- All windows DG
- Gas CH
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**£399,950 FREEHOLD**



**91 OLD FALLOW ROAD, CANNOCK**  
TWO BUILDING PLOTS AND BUNGALOWS BE AVAILABLE AS A WHOLE OR SOLD SEPARATELY  
Bungalow With Grounds Extending To Approx. 0.15 Ha. In Low With The Benefit Of Planning Permission For Development Of Land To Bear With Two Detached Residences With Individually Designed Two Bedroom Detached Bungalows

- Hall
- Dining kitchen
- Two double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Double width garage (to be removed for development)
- Gas central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Large gardens (0.38 Acres)
- Planning permission for two detached residences
- Detached bungalow with development opportunity

**\$249,950 FREEHOLD**



**56 LLOYD STREET, CANNOCK**  
CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE  
Built In The Popular Later War Period Located In A Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Recessed porch
- Reception hall
- Refitted cloakroom with wc
- Sitting room
- Study/dining/family room
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted family bathroom
- Built-on garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Intruder alarm
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Inspection essential to fully appreciate the well equipped property

**\$265,000 FREEHOLD**



**11 GAINSBROOK CRESCENT, NORTON CANES**  
CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE  
Located In Popular Residential Area

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Lounge & Dining room
- Refitted kitchen
- Conservatory & Lobby
- Cloakroom with wc
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Limited length garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection recommended

**\$139,950**



**9 ROKHOLT CRESCENT, CANNOCK**  
INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED DETACHED CHALET STYLE HOUSE  
Offering Flexible Three/Four Double Bedrooms Well Equipped Accommodation Located In Popular Cul-de-sac In Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Reception hall
- Lounge & Dining room
- Study/bedroom four
- Cloakroom/shower room with wc
- Fitted kitchen/breakfast area
- Utility room
- Galleried landing
- Three first floor double bedrooms
- En-suite bathroom
- Family bathroom
- Integral garage
- Gardens
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$339,950 FREEHOLD**



**244 CANNOCK ROAD, HEATH HAYES**  
WELL EQUIPPED MID MEWS HOUSE OFFERING THREE BEDROOMED ACCOMMODATION ON THREE FLOORS  
Located In Popular Position Convenient For Facilities Locally

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge/dining area
- Fitted kitchen
- Landing
- Two (first floor) bedrooms
- Family bathroom (first floor)
- Landing (second floor)
- Master bedroom (second floor)
- En-suite shower room
- Gardens
- Two allocated parking spaces
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$146,950 FREEHOLD**

### COPELAND HOUSE, SAREDON LANE, GREAT SAREDON



WELL EQUIPPED IMPROVED AND EXTENDED FIVE BEDROOMED FAMILY RESIDENCE  
Located In Sought After Rural Hamlet Of Great Saredon With Views Over Open Farmland To Front And Rear

- Central reception hall
- Lounge/family room
- Sitting room
- Dining room with bar area
- Dining kitchen
- Inner hall
- Guests cloakroom with wc
- Central galleried landing
- Five bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- En-suite bathroom
- En-suite shower room
- Fully triple glazed
- Solid fuel central heating
- Landscaped gardens
- Detached double width garage (currently under construction)
- Extensive off road parking with secure electric gated access

**£550,000 FREEHOLD**



**17 HUNTINGTON TERRACE ROAD, CANNOCK**  
IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED SEMI DETACHED TWO BEDROOMED HOUSE

- Sitting room
- Living room
- Refitted kitchen
- Utility room
- Two bedrooms
- Bathroom with wc
- Gardens
- Off road parking
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Inspection recommended

**\$99,950 FREEHOLD**



**97 OLD FALLOW ROAD, CANNOCK**  
CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE  
Located Within Reach Of Facilities At The Town Centre

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom
- Cloak/shower room & Study
- Lounge
- Dining area
- Sitting/garden room
- Kitchen with breakfast area
- Central galleried landing
- Four double bedrooms
- Refitted en-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Integral garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$249,950 FREEHOLD**



**53 HATHERTON ROAD, CANNOCK**  
INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED FAMILY RESIDENCE  
Located In Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town Offering Grounds Extending To Approx. 0.41 Ha. In Area Of The Town With The Benefit Of Planning Permission For Development Of The Detached Residential Unit To The Rear

- Detached porch
- Reception hall
- Cloak/shower room
- Lounge & Dining room
- Kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Three double bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Extensive mature gardens
- Det buildings
- Gas central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$495,000 FREEHOLD**



**95 HILL STREET, ESSINGTON**  
WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE  
Located In Popular Village Of Essington

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Kitchen & Half landing/landing
- Three bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Central reception hall
- Integral garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas central heating
- All windows double glazed
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$179,950 FREEHOLD**



**11 LANGDALE GREEN, CANNOCK**  
AN IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED MID MEWS HOUSE  
Convenient For Facilities At The Town Centre

- Enclosed porch
- Lounge
- Dining area
- Refitted kitchen
- Predominantly double glazed
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Gas central heating
- Internal inspection highly recommended
- Of interest to the first time buyer

**\$119,950 FREEHOLD**

### 8 SPIRES CROFT, SHARESHILL



ATTRACTIVE IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE  
Located In Cul-de-sac Within The Popular Village Of Shares Hill

- Canopy porch
- Central reception hall
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Study
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Double glazed conservatory
- Utility room
- Cloakroom
- Central galleried landing
- Four bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Part integral double width garage
- Well stocked gardens
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**£365,000 FREEHOLD**

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### FILEY CLOSE CANNOCK, WS11 1NU



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PRICE**

Photograph of numbers Filey Close, Cannock  
A SELECT DEVELOPMENT OF ATTRACTIVE WELL DESIGNED EXCEPTIONALLY  
WELL EQUIPPED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSES  
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- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Well Equipped Dining Kitchen
- ◆ Cloakroom with WC
- ◆ Landing
- ◆ Three Bedrooms
- ◆ En-Suite Shower Room
- ◆ Excellent Family Bathroom
- ◆ Off Road Parking
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Fully Double Glazed
- ◆ Gas Fired Central Heating
- ◆ LABC Build Warrantee

◆ All Floor Coverings Included

Address	Property Type	Bedrooms	Tenure	Price	Availability
17 Filey Close	Semi Detached House	3	Freehold	£139,950	Available
19 Filey Close	Semi Detached House	3	Freehold	£139,950	Available
21 Filey Close	Semi Detached House	3	Freehold	£139,950	Available
23 Filey Close	Semi Detached House	3	Freehold	£136,950	Available



8 SUNSET CLOSE, GREAT WYRLEY, WS6 6LW  
THREE BEDROOMED LINKED DETACHED BUNGALOW LOCATED IN POPULAR CUL-DE-SAC IN THIS  
SOUGHT AFTER SOUTH STAFFORDSHIRE VILLAGE

- ◆ Entrance lobby
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Breakfast kitchen
- ◆ Inner lobby
- ◆ Three bedrooms
- ◆ Shower room
- ◆ Built-on garage
- ◆ Well stocked gardens
- ◆ Gas central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ No chain

**£146,950 FREEHOLD**



5 HOLLINGSWORTH MEWS, BRIDGTOWN  
WELL EQUIPPED MID TERRACED TWO BEDROOMED  
HOUSE

- ◆ Reception hall
- ◆ Cloakroom with wc
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Fitted kitchen
- ◆ Landing
- ◆ Two bedrooms
- ◆ Bathroom
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Allocated parking space
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ No chain
- ◆ Inspection recommended

**£124,950 FREEHOLD**



6 BARNSWOOD CLOSE, CANNOCK  
INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED DETACHED DOORMER STYLE FAMILY RESIDENCE  
Offering Spacious Flexible Four/Five Bedroomed Accommodation Located In  
Quiet Cul-de-sac in Popular Residential Area Of The Town

- ◆ Enclosed porch
- ◆ Central reception hall
- ◆ Lounge/dining area
- ◆ Breakfast room
- ◆ Kitchen
- ◆ Rear entrance lobby
- ◆ Refitted bathroom
- ◆ Study/bedroom five
- ◆ Ground floor bedroom one
- ◆ Landing
- ◆ Three first floor bedrooms
- ◆ Fully tiled shower room
- ◆ Separate cloakroom
- ◆ Gas central heating
- ◆ Predominantly double glazed
- ◆ Integral garage
- ◆ Well stocked south facing gardens
- ◆ Inspection recommended

**£245,000 FREEHOLD**



2 REDWING DRIVE, HUNTINGTON  
CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED FOUR BEDROOMED HOUSE  
Located In Popular Position Within Reach Of Facilities At Cannock Centre  
And Also Cannock Chase An Area Noted For Its Outstanding Natural Beauty

- ◆ Canopy porch
- ◆ Entrance hall
- ◆ Dining room
- ◆ Refitted breakfast kitchen
- ◆ Utility room
- ◆ Refitted en-suite shower room
- ◆ Refitted bathroom
- ◆ Detached double width garage
- ◆ Well stocked corner plot gardens
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ Inspection highly recommended

**£229,950 FREEHOLD**

### MONKS COTTAGE, 116 CHURCH ROAD, SHARESHILL



IMMEDIATELY CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED CHARACTERFUL, GRANGE  
IS LISTED REDUNDANT  
Offering Flexible Three/Four Bedroomed Accommodation On Four Floors  
Located On The Edge Of The Popular South Staffordshire Village  
In An Excellent Position

- ◆ Hall
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Dining kitchen
- ◆ Kitchen
- ◆ Inner hall
- ◆ Cloakroom with wc
- ◆ Landing
- ◆ Two bedrooms
- ◆ Landing (first floor)
- ◆ Two bedrooms
- ◆ En-suite shower room
- ◆ Family bathroom
- ◆ Landing (second floor)
- ◆ Bedroom three
- ◆ En-suite toilet
- ◆ Study/bedroom
- ◆ Study/bedroom four
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Allocated parking spaces
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ Inspection highly recommended

**£369,950 FREEHOLD**



9 FALLOWFIELD, CANNOCK  
CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED SEMI DETACHED BUNGALOW  
Located In Cul-de-sac Convenient For Facilities Locally

- ◆ Reception hall
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Kitchen
- ◆ Bedroom
- ◆ Bathroom
- ◆ Well stocked larger
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Inspection recommended

**\$99,950 FREEHOLD**



5 CAVERSHAM MEWS, BRIDGTOWN  
IMMACULATELY MAINTAINED THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE  
Offering Well Equipped Accommodation Overlooking Landscaped Public Open  
Space To The Front

- ◆ Canopy porch
- ◆ Entrance hall
- ◆ Dining room
- ◆ Refitted breakfast kitchen
- ◆ Utility room
- ◆ Refitted en-suite shower room
- ◆ Refitted bathroom
- ◆ Detached double width garage
- ◆ Bathroom
- ◆ Garage (at rear)
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Inspection highly recommended

**£132,950 FREEHOLD**

### OAKWOOD HOUSE SANDY LANE, CANNOCK WS11 1RF



INDIVIDUAL ARCHITECT DESIGNED FIVE  
BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE  
LOCATED IN PRIME SHOAL HILL AREA OF  
THE TOWN.

**PRICE - £795,000  
FREEHOLD**



43 ADAM COURT, NEW PENKRIDGE ROAD, CANNOCK  
IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED SECOND STOREY APARTMENT  
Located In Popular Development In This Sought After Residential  
Area Convenient For Facilities At The Town Centre

- ◆ Communal hall, stairs & landing
- ◆ Reception hall
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Bedroom
- ◆ Refitted bathroom
- ◆ Communal cupboards
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Security phone system
- ◆ Inspection recommended

**\$84,950**

### WILLOWS GATE, CHASELEY ROAD, RUGELEY



OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED EXCEPTIONALLY  
WELL EQUIPPED SIX BEDROOMED FAMILY RESIDENCE  
Located In Much Sought After Residential Area Close To  
Cannock Chase

- ◆ Canopy porch
- ◆ Impressive central reception hall
- ◆ Cloakroom with toilet off
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Sitting/dining room
- ◆ Garden room/study
- ◆ Luxury fitted breakfast kitchen
- ◆ Central gallery landing
- ◆ Four first floor double bedrooms
- ◆ Three first floor en-suite shower rooms
- ◆ Luxury First Floor Main Bathroom With Sauna
- ◆ Two second floor double bedrooms
- ◆ Second floor en-suite shower room
- ◆ Integral double width garage
- ◆ In and out drive
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Gas central heating
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Hard wiring for comprehensive surround sound/visual system installed
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ Inspection essential to fully appreciate this quality property

**PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED**

**£535,000 FREEHOLD**



15 BEAUMONT CLOSE, GREAT WYRLEY  
THREE BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE  
Located In Popular Position Within This Much Sought  
After South Staffordshire Village

- ◆ Entrance lobby
- ◆ Lounge/dining area
- ◆ Kitchen
- ◆ Landing
- ◆ Three bedrooms
- ◆ Bathroom
- ◆ Integral garage
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Predominantly double glazed

**£149,950 FREEHOLD**

### BOWLERS BARN, PILLATON GRANGE, PENKRIDGE



WELL EQUIPPED CHARACTERFUL SEMI DETACHED BARN CONVERSION OFFERING FLEXIBLE ACCOMMODATION FITTED FOR A LARGE SPECIFICATION  
Located In This Popular Estate In Rural Position Convenient For Access To  
Facilities At Penkridge, Cannock And Staffs

- ◆ Reception hall
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Dining area
- ◆ Luxury fitted breakfast kitchen
- ◆ Inner hall
- ◆ Two bedrooms
- ◆ Luxury fitted en-suite bathroom
- ◆ Shower room
- ◆ Study
- ◆ Store room
- ◆ Gardens
- ◆ Off road parking for four cars
- ◆ Gas central heating (LPG)
- ◆ Fully double glazed
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ Inspection essential to fully appreciate this property of character

**£300,000 FREEHOLD**

### DORSET HOUSE, 68 STATION STREET, CHESLYN HAY



AN OUTSTANDING LAST VICTORIAN INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED IN  
PLACED SIX BEDROOMED REDUNDANT OFFERING EXTENSIVE CHARACTERFUL ACCOMMODATION OCCUPYING EXTENSIVELY BRICKED BELOW  
GARDEN OF CONSIDERABLE NOTE Belonging To Agents A/R Class As Listed Within The Popular South Staffordshire Village

- ◆ Vestibule
- ◆ Central reception hall
- ◆ Lounge
- ◆ Dining room
- ◆ Sitting room
- ◆ Study/library
- ◆ Rear hall
- ◆ Cloakroom with wc
- ◆ Central gallery landing
- ◆ Four bedrooms (first floor)
- ◆ En-suite bathroom
- ◆ Family bathroom
- ◆ Landing (second floor)
- ◆ Two double bedrooms (second floor)
- ◆ Range of garden stores/outbuildings
- ◆ Outside toilet
- ◆ Two garages
- ◆ Intruder alarm
- ◆ Gas fired central heating
- ◆ Predominantly double glazed
- ◆ One of Staffordshire's foremost show gardens regularly opened for the N.O. Scheme for charitable purposes
- ◆ No chain
- ◆ Residence of considerable note, internal inspection is essential

**£625,000 FREEHOLD**



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**HILLDENE, 29 HUT HILL LANE, GREAT WYRLEY**  
 CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED DETACHED HOUSE  
 Built in the Popular Hut Hill Offering Flexible Three/Four Bedroom Accommodation Occupying Corner Plot Gardens Located in Popular Position in This Sought After South Staffordshire Village

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Three double bedrooms
- Two en-suite shower rooms
- Bedroom
- Double garage
- Build on garage
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Secure parking for caravan, boat, etc
- Inspection recommended

**\$249,950 FREEHOLD**

## 11 HIGHFIELDS PARK, CHESLYN HAY



**WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE**  
 Occupying Corner Plot Gardens in a Popular Cul-de-sac in This Much Sought After South Staffordshire Village

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Study
- Double glazed conservatory
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- En-suite shower room
- Corner plot well stocked gardens
- Detached double width garage
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm & CCTV system
- Inspection highly recommended

**£335,000 FREEHOLD**



## SUDINA, 25B SANDY LANE, CANNOCK

INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED FOUR/FIVE/SIX BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY RESIDENCE OFFERING EXTENSIVE FLEXIBLE FAMILY ACCOMMODATION  
 Located in The Prime Residential Area Of The Town Close To The Shoal Hill District Of Cannock Chase

- Recessed porch
- Central reception hall
- Double glazed conservatory
- Cloaks/shower room
- Snug/bedroom six
- Dining room
- Family room
- Dining kitchen
- Central gallery landing
- Master bedroom suite
- Dressing room
- En-suite shower room
- Three further double bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Pine sauna
- Games room/bedroom five
- Integral double width garage
- Gas fired central heating
- All windows double glazed
- Well stocked gardens
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection recommended

**£695,000 FREEHOLD**

## 16 HATHERTON CROFT, CANNOCK



**VERY WELL EQUIPPED IMMACULATE FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE**  
 Located in Quiet Private Drive Off Popular Cul-de-sac in Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Double glazed conservatory
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- Refitted en-suite shower room
- Bathroom
- Part integral double width garage
- Private well stocked gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended to fully appreciate this quality residence

**£349,950 FREEHOLD**



**3 WESTHALL CLOSE, BREWOOD**  
 IMPROVED AND EXTENDED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE  
 Located in Popular Cul-de-sac in This Much Sought After South Staffordshire Village

- Enclosed porch
- Entrance hall
- Lounge
- Dining area/conservatory
- Kitchen
- Utility room
- Cloakroom with wc
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Integral garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection recommended

**\$295,000 FREEHOLD**



**7 SHERBROOK ROAD, CANNOCK**  
 WELL EQUIPPED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE  
 Located in Popular Cul-de-sac in Much Sought After Residential Area Of The Town

- Enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Refitted cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Landing
- Four double bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Integral double width garage
- Fully double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Well maintained gardens
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$329,950 FREEHOLD**



**12 VALLEY GREEN, CHESLYN HAY**  
 WELL EQUIPPED IMPROVED AND EXTENDED THREE BEDROOMED MID MEWS HOUSE  
 Located Off Private Drive in Popular Residential Area

- Entrance hall
- Lounge
- Breakfast kitchen
- Upvc double glazed conservatory
- Landing
- Three bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- Intruder alarm
- Gas fired central heating
- All windows double glazed
- Well maintained gardens
- Off road parking

**\$124,950 FREEHOLD**

## OAK APPLE HOUSE, HAZEL LANE, GREAT WYRLEY



**WELL EQUIPPED INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED FOUR BEDROOMED DETACHED FAMILY HOUSE**  
 Occupying Corner Plot in This Popular South Staffordshire Village

- Recessed porch
- Reception hall
- Refitted cloakroom
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Study
- Breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Galleried landing
- Four bedrooms
- Family bathroom
- En-suite bathroom
- Detached double width garage
- Corner plot gardens
- All windows double glazed
- Gas fired central heating
- Intruder alarm
- Inspection highly recommended

**£325,000 FREEHOLD**

**NEW PRICE**

**OVERLEY, WATLING STREET, KINGSWOOD, CANNOCK**  
 DETACHED TWO BEDROOMED BUNGALOW  
 With Character

- Enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Breakfast kitchen
- Utility room
- Two double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Built-on garage
- Gardens
- Good off road parking
- Gas fired central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Inspection recommended

**\$149,950 FREEHOLD**

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**NEW PRICE**

Plot No.	Type	Bed	Garage	Price	Availability
Plot 5	Detached Three Storey House	4/5/6	Built-on Garage	£289,950	Available
Plot 6	Detached Three Storey House	4/5/6	Built-on Garage	TBC	TBC

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**43 WOODSTOCK DRIVE, HUNTINGTON**  
 CONSIDERABLY EXTENDED AND IMPROVED FOUR BEDROOMED SEMI DETACHED HOUSE  
 Offering Well Equipped Accommodation Located in Popular Cul-de-sac

- Entrance lobby
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Refitted dining kitchen
- Refitted utility room
- Landing
- Four bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Refitted en-suite shower room
- Integral garage
- Gardens
- Gas fired central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Inspection highly recommended

**\$156,950 FREEHOLD**



**27 WATERLILY CLOSE, WIMBLEBURY**  
 WELL EQUIPPED SEMI DETACHED TWO BEDROOMED HOUSE  
 Located in Popular Cul-de-sac

- Canopy porch
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Landing
- Two bedrooms
- Refitted bathroom
- Two allocated parking spaces
- Gardens
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Of interest to the first time buyer or as a buy to let

**\$117,500 FREEHOLD**



**12 LABURNUM CLOSE, CANNOCK**  
 WELL EQUIPPED INDIVIDUALLY DESIGNED THREE BEDROOMED DETACHED HOUSE  
 In Cul-de-sac Adjoining Public Open Space

- Reception hall
- Cloakroom with wc
- Lounge
- Fitted breakfast kitchen
- Landing
- Three double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Integral garage
- Gas central heating
- Fully double glazed
- Gardens
- No chain
- Inspection recommended

**\$139,950 FREEHOLD**



**3 DEVON GREEN, CANNOCK**  
 FIRST FLOOR TWO BEDROOMED APARTMENT  
 Conveniently Located For Facilities Locally

- Ground floor entrance lobby
- Landing
- Lounge/dining area
- Breakfast kitchen
- Two double bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Separate toilet
- Gas fired central heating
- No chain
- Inspection recommended
- Of interest to the first time buyer or as a buy to let

**\$69,950**

## GANLLWYD COTTAGE, PARKSIDE LANE, HATHERTON, CANNOCK



**IMPROVED WELL EQUIPPED DETACHED OUTRANGE OCCUPYING WELL SERVED GARDENS**  
 Located in Much Sought After Small Greenbelt Position (Close To Cannock Chase Which is Now Part of the Outstanding National Scenery And The Wildlife Survey Area Of The Shropshire Hills)

- Enclosed porch
- Reception hall
- Lounge
- Dining room
- Refitted dining kitchen
- Utility room
- Rear entrance lobby/utility/boot room
- Central galleried landing
- Three double bedrooms
- En-suite shower room
- Family bathroom
- Detached double width garage
- Extensive off road parking
- Well stocked gardens
- Oil fired central heating
- Predominantly double glazed
- Internal inspection essential

**£399,950 FREEHOLD**

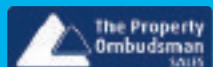


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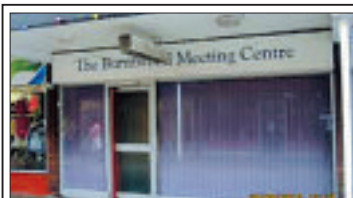
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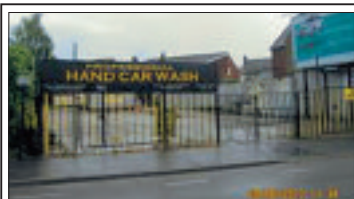
## Property Management



**17 WOLVERHAMPTON ROAD, CANNOCK**  
 PROMINENTLY LOCATED TWO STOREY OFFICE PREMISES  
 Situated In Probably The Most Popular Business Districts Of The Town  
 ♦ 1104 sq. ft. (102 sq. m) or thereabouts (net internal area) ♦ Gas central heating  
 ♦ Loft and cellar storage ♦ Part double glazed  
 ♦ Parking space at the rear  
**\$200,000 FREEHOLD**



**UNIT 8 BURNTWOOD SHOPPING PRECINCT, CANNOCK ROAD, CHASE TERRACE**  
 RETAIL UNIT WITH FIRST FLOOR ANCILLARY ACCOMMODATION  
 ♦ Currently being used as the Burntwood meeting centre ♦ Popular retail location  
 ♦ Close to large public car park  
**\$10,500 pax**



**163-169 HIGH STREET, BROWNHILLS**  
 PROMINANTLY LOCATED CAR SALES SITE  
 Fronting Busy Road  
 ♦ 8,569 sq. ft. / 796.13 m. sq. (approx.)  
**\$15,000 pax**



**VILLAGE CAFE, 197 CANNOCK ROAD, CHADSMOOR**  
 ESTABLISHED CAFE BUSINESS IN BUSY NEIGHBOURHOOD PARADE OF SHOPS  
 Available On New Lease  
 ♦ Densely populated surrounding residential area ♦ Established lucrative business  
 Sale of Goodwill, Fixtures & Fittings \$36,000 plus Stock at Valuation



**BANK HOUSE, MILL STREET, CANNOCK**  
 FOR SALE OR TO LET PROMINENTLY LOCATED TOWN CENTRE OFFICES  
 ♦ 3,335 sq. m. or thereabouts (gross internal) ♦ Gas central heating  
 ♦ 14 car parking spaces ♦ Part double glazed  
 ♦ Grade II listed building in prominent location ♦ Suitable for alternative uses (subject to planning permission)  
**\$285,000 FREEHOLD**  
**\$17,500 PAX (for vacant parts only)**



**THE OLD GOODS YARD, COMMERCIAL WAY, OAKENGATES, TELFORD**  
 FREEHOLD WITH VACANT POSSESSION  
 ♦ Prominently located detached premises ♦ Suitable for redevelopment (Subject to Planning Permission)  
 ♦ Occupying a good sized irregular shaped site ♦ Most recently used as a retail showroom and store  
**GUIDE PRICE: \$180,000+**



**UNIT 3 BENNICK INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, UNION STREET, BRIDGTOWN, CANNOCK**  
 Conveniently Located Inner Terraced Warehouse/Workshop  
 ♦ Gas fired radiant heating ♦ Good height to eaves  
 ♦ Gross internal floor area: 131 m sq (1410 sq ft) or thereabouts ♦ Easy access to A5, M6 Toll and M6 Motorways  
**\$6,000 pax**



**UNIT 4 BENNICK INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, UNION STREET, BRIDGTOWN**  
 Conveniently Located Modern Industrial Unit  
 ♦ Blow air gas fired heater system m.sq (1410 sq.ft.) or thereabouts  
 ♦ Good height to eaves ♦ Easy access to A5, M6 Toll and M6 motorways  
 ♦ Mezzanine storage area  
 ♦ Gross internal floor area: 131  
**\$6,000 pax**



**JUBILEE PARK, AREA 7 MARTINDALE INDUSTRIAL ESTATE, HAWKS GREEN, CANNOCK**  
 RECENTLY REFURBISHED INDUSTRIAL UNITS  
 From 735 sq. ft. to 1,540 sq. ft.  
 ♦ To let on three yearly leases on FR&I terms  
**From \$3,000 pa to \$5,500 pa**



**UNIT 26 MARTINDALE, HAWKS GREEN, CANNOCK**  
 SPACIOUS OFFICES  
 ♦ Approximately 260 m. sq. (2,800 sq. ft.) ♦ Approx. 12 car parking spaces  
 ♦ Predominantly double glazed ♦ Convenient for A5, M6 Toll and M6  
 ♦ Oil fired centrally heated  
**\$12,500 pax**

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17 Upper Brook Street, Rugeley, Staffs



**Rugeley, William Morris Court**  
 A three bedroom mid terrace house  
 ♦ Partial double glazing ♦ Shower room  
 ♦ Three bedrooms ♦ Scope for improvement  
 ♦ Lounge / Dining room ♦ Off road parking to front & rear  
 ♦ Kitchen ♦ Ideal investment property / 1st Time buyer  
 ♦ Hall  
**\$75,000**



**Rugeley, Fernwood Drive**  
 A Three Bedroom Semi Detached House  
 ♦ UPVC Double Glazing ♦ Gas Fired Central Heating  
 ♦ Dining Room ♦ Re-furnished Bathroom  
 ♦ Garage ♦ Three Bedrooms  
**\$105,000**



**Rugeley, The Laurels**  
 ♦ Communal Gardens ♦ Gas Central Heating  
 ♦ Two Bedrooms ♦ Lounge  
 ♦ Bathroom ♦ Kitchen  
 ♦ Ample Parking ♦ Double Glazing  
**\$117,500**



**Rugeley, Burnthill Lane**  
 A Four Bedroom Mid Terrace House  
 ♦ Ground Floor Bathroom ♦ Freehold  
 ♦ Gas Central Heating ♦ Block Paved Driveway  
 ♦ Partly Double Glazed ♦ Fully Enclosed Rear Garden  
**PRICE: \$125,000**



**Rugeley, Hereford Way**  
 A Four Bedroom Executive Detached House  
 ♦ Gas Central Heating ♦ Master Bedroom With En-Suite  
 ♦ Double Glazing ♦ Integral Garage  
 ♦ Breakfast Kitchen ♦ Double Driveway  
 ♦ Ground Floor W.C. ♦ Front & Rear Gardens  
 ♦ Separate Dining Room ♦ Freehold  
**\$208,500**



**Brereton, Priory Road**  
 Attractive Semi Detached House  
 ♦ Two Bedrooms ♦ Parking, Private Gardens  
 ♦ Double Glazing ♦ Gas Central Heating  
 ♦ Porch, Lounge ♦ Bathroom, Kitchen  
 ♦ Off Road  
**\$120,000**

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**\$849**



**Rugeley, Catkin Walk**  
 A Three Bedroom Link Detached House  
 ♦ Gas central heating ♦ Double glazing  
 ♦ Dining kitchen ♦ Driveway  
 ♦ Garage ♦ Front and rear gardens  
**\$119,950**

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## Rental Properties URGENTLY Required

**Rugeley and Surrounding Areas**

Let us Find you a Tenant for **FREE** (conditions apply)



**Rugeley, Fernwood Drive**  
 An attractive, modern end terrace house situated in a predominantly residential area and lying one mile from the town centre of Rugeley  
 ♦ Entrance hall space  
 ♦ Kitchen ♦ Gardens front  
 ♦ Lounge ♦ 2 Bedrooms  
 ♦ Bathroom ♦ and rear  
 ♦ Car parking  
**\$500pcm**



**Rugeley, Coppice Road**  
 A recently re-furnished semi detached property on a residential estate close to the town centre of Rugeley  
 ♦ Entrance Hall ♦ Bathroom  
 ♦ Through Lounge/Dining Room ♦ Low maintenance front garden  
 ♦ Breakfast Kitchen ♦ Off road parking for several vehicles  
 ♦ Three Bedrooms  
**\$575 pcm**



**Rugeley, Upper Brook Street**  
 A ground floor, double retail unit with front and rear access situated in Upper Brook Street, Rugeley.  
 ♦ Retail units with total floor area of approximately 62 sq. m. ♦ Toilet  
 ♦ Mains electricity, water and sewer are connected.  
**\$5,000 P.A.**



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### Bower Lane, Rugeley



- Stunning Detached Bungalow
- 3 Bedrooms
- Potential for 2
- bedrooms in loft
- Sitting Room & Dining Room
- Family Bathroom

**£325,000**

### Richardson Way, Rugeley



- Fabulous Detached House
- 5 Bedrooms
- 2 with En-suite
- 3 Reception Rooms
- Utility
- Garden
- Double Garage

**£310,000**

### Walsall Road, Great Wyrley



- Fabulous Size House
- 4 Good Bedrooms
- Master en-suite
- Living Room and Dining
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Double Tandem

**£240,000**

### Hatherton Road, Cannock



- Amazing House
- 6 Bedrooms
- 4 En-suite
- 4 Reception Rooms
- Conservatory
- Huge Kitchen
- Garden

**£1,395 pcm**

### Heather Valley, Hednesford



- Impressive Large Detached House
- 4 Double Bedrooms
- Master with En-suite
- 4 Reception Rooms
- Large Breakfast Kitchen

**£1,025 pcm**

### Sheep Fair, Rugeley



- Large Cottage
- 3 Good Bedrooms
- Master with En-suite
- Large Breakfast Kitchen
- Dining Room
- Conservatory

**£695 pcm**

### Briarwood Mews, Armitage



- Fabulous 6 Bed Village Setting
- Living Room
- Dining Room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Cloaks & Utility
- Master En-suite
- Garden

**£209,995**

### Nairn Road, Bloxwich



- Immaculate Semi
- 3 Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Dining Room
- Conservatory
- Cloaks
- Family Bathroom
- Gardens

**£159,950**

### Berry Hill, Cannock



- Smart Semi
- 2 Double Bedrooms
- Living room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Conservatory
- Family Bathroom
- Garden
- Parking at rear

**£130,000**

### Pye Green Road, Cannock



- Lovely Re-furnished
- 3 Bed Terrace
- Living Room
- Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Garden with Summer House

**£550 pcm**

### Manor Court, Cannock



- Central Heating
- Double Glazed
- Two Bedrooms
- Open Plan Living
- Room/Diner/Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Parking

**£495 pcm**

### Bank Street, Heath Hayes



- Lovely Terrace
- 2 Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- New Bathroom
- Garden

**£495 pcm**

### Petersfield, Chads Moor



- Immaculate Semi-detached
- 2 Double Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Private Rear Garden

**£126,500**

### Johns Avenue, Handsacre



- Beautifully Re-furnished
- Semi Detached
- 3 Bedrooms
- Large Sitting Room
- Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen
- Family Bathroom

**£125,000**

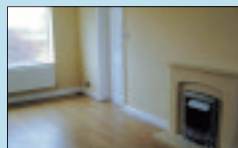
### Fernwood Drive, Rugeley



- Very Nice Semi
- 3 Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- Garden
- Garage

**£104,950**

### Coppice Road, Rugeley



- Refurbished Semi
- 3 Bedrooms
- Living Room/Diner
- Breakfast Kitchen
- New Kitchen
- Bathroom/shower
- Garden

**£495 pcm**

### FORGE ROAD, RUGELEY



- Central Heating
- Double Glazed
- Lounge
- Parking

**£425 PCM**

### Tuppenhurst Lane



- Refurbished Flat
- 2 Large Bedrooms
- Living Room/Diner
- Kitchen
- Bathroom with Shower
- Kitchen
- Parking

**£395 pcm**





**CHURCHBRIDGE  
WALSALL ROAD**

- ★ Superb detached dormer bungalow
- ★ Imposing, substantial plot
- ★ Central heating, double glazed, alarm, NO CHAIN
- ★ Double garage, 3/4 bedrooms
- ★ En-suite, family bathroom
- ★ Ground floor w.c., wet room/utility
- ★ Fitted breakfast kitchen
- ★ Traditional lounge, conservatory

Offers around £295,000



**GREAT WYRLEY  
NORTON LANE**

- ★ Extended, traditional semi
- ★ Prime residential location
- ★ Central heating, double glazed
- ★ 2 reception rooms
- ★ Kitchen, guest's cloakroom
- ★ 3 bedrooms, bathroom
- ★ Extensive rear gardens
- ★ Large drive, garage

Offers around £155,000

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**GREAT WYRLEY  
RAMILLIES CRESCENT**

- ★ Charming end town house
- ★ Convenient location
- ★ Central heating, double glazed
- ★ Porch, fitted kitchen/diner
- ★ Pleasant, spacious lounge
- ★ 3 generous bedrooms
- ★ Bathroom with shower
- ★ No upward chain

Offers around £99,950



**GREAT WYRLEY  
AJAX CLOSE**

- ★ Mid town house
- ★ Central heating, double glazed
- ★ Refitted kitchen
- ★ Lounge, double glazed conservatory
- ★ 2 double bedrooms
- ★ Bathroom with shower
- ★ Gardens front and rear
- ★ Vacant possession

Offers around £82,500



**GREAT WYRLEY  
BENTONS LANE**

- ★ Do you want a fantastic fully refurbished property?
- ★ Are you looking for an Ideal Family Home?
- ★ Then this property MUST be viewed!
- ★ OPEN TO OFFERS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER!
- ★ OPEN TO OFFERS



**JACOBS HALL LANE  
GREAT WYRLEY**

- ★ Stunning executive detached
- ★ Substantial accommodation
- ★ 3 reception rooms, cloakroom
- ★ Bespoke kitchen and utility
- ★ 5 double bedrooms
- ★ 2 en-suites, luxury bathroom
- ★ Imposing plot. Double garage
- ★ Open views to rear. No Chain

Offers around £349,950



**GREAT WYRLEY  
BENTONS LANE**

- ★ Stunning detached residence
- ★ High quality interiors
- ★ Guest's cloakroom, study
- ★ Spacious lounge
- ★ Beautifully appointed kitchen
- ★ Impressive conservatory
- ★ 4 double bedrooms, en-suite
- ★ Family bathroom, gardens, drive

Offers Over £250,000



**GREAT WYRLEY  
STATION ROAD**

- ★ Delightful detached bungalow
- ★ Desirable convenient location
- ★ Substantial plot
- ★ C/H, D/G, Alarm. No Chain
- ★ Reception hall, kitchen
- ★ 2 reception rooms, bathroom
- ★ 2 double bedrooms
- ★ Impressive gardens, double garage

Offers around £199,950



**GREAT WYRLEY  
BROADMEADOW LANE**

- ★ Magnificent period home
- ★ Unique, imposing plot
- ★ Stunning, private foregarden
- ★ 2 elegant sitting rooms
- ★ Breakfast kitchen, utility
- ★ Guest's cloakroom, garage
- ★ 4 double bedrooms
- ★ Well appointed family bathroom

Offers around £225,000



**GREAT WYRLEY  
GORSEY LANE**

- ★ Immaculate detached bungalow
- ★ Convenient location
- ★ Beautifully presented
- ★ Modern kitchen and bathroom
- ★ Dining area, spacious lounge
- ★ 3 excellent bedrooms
- ★ Driveway, detached garage
- ★ Neat gardens, No Chain

Offers around £199,950



**CHESLYN HAY  
THE HOLLIES**

- ★ Modern four bedroom semi
- ★ Built by David Wilson Homes
- ★ Quality fixtures and fittings
- ★ Central heating, double glazed
- ★ Guests cloakroom
- ★ Superb lounge and dining kitchen
- ★ 4 bedrooms, en suite, bathroom
- ★ Driveway parking, rear gardens

Offers around £179,950



**GREAT WYRLEY  
SUNSET CLOSE**

- ★ Modern semi-detached
- ★ Pleasant cul-de-sac
- ★ Ideal family home
- ★ Central heating, double glazed, alarm
- ★ Lounge, refitted kitchen
- ★ Downstairs wc, utility room
- ★ 4 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms
- ★ Conservatory, garage, gardens

Offers around £169,995



**CHESLYN HAY  
COLTSFOOT VIEW**

- ★ Immaculate modern detached
- ★ Desirable cul-de-sac location
- ★ Stylish, quality interiors
- ★ Refurbished throughout
- ★ Spacious lounge
- ★ Contemporary fitted dining kitchen
- ★ 3 bedrooms, bathroom
- ★ Driveway, garage, gardens

Offers around £165,000



**GREAT WYRLEY, BENTONS LANE**

- ★ Traditional semi detached
- ★ A wealth of charm and character
- ★ Ideal family home
- ★ Front lounge with fireplace
- ★ Rear kitchen/diner, sun room
- ★ 3 generous bedrooms, bathroom
- ★ Large drive, gardens
- ★ No upward chain

Offers Over £150,000



**CHESLYN HAY  
HOLLY HILL COTTAGES**

- ★ Impressive period residence
- ★ Beautifully presented throughout
- ★ C/H, D/G, Alarm
- ★ Lounge/dining area
- ★ Modern fitted kitchen
- ★ Ground floor bathroom
- ★ 2 double bedrooms and additional play area
- ★ Rear garage and parking

Offers Over £145,000



**GREAT WYRLEY, HILTON LANE**

- ★ Traditional semi-detached
- ★ Extensive plot
- ★ Generous accommodation
- ★ 2 reception rooms
- ★ Kitchen, wc
- ★ 3 double bedrooms, bathroom
- ★ Central heating, double glazing
- ★ No upward chain

Offers around £129,950



**CHESLYN HAY  
FLAT 4 CHESLYN HOUSE**

- ★ Immaculate two storey apartment
- ★ Set in 19th century building
- ★ Prime residential location
- ★ Modern kitchen and bathroom
- ★ Lounge and dining room
- ★ Two superb 1st floor bedrooms
- ★ Central heating, double glazing
- ★ Impressive grounds, garage

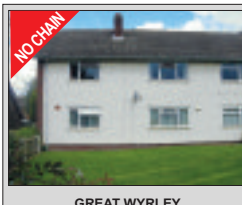
Offers around £109,950



**GREAT WYRLEY  
NORFOLK GROVE**

- ★ End town house
- ★ Cul-de-sac location
- ★ C/H, D/G, alarm
- ★ Breakfast kitchen
- ★ Lounge, sun room
- ★ 2 double bedrooms
- ★ Modern bathroom
- ★ Gardens, No Chain

Offers Over £95,000



**GREAT WYRLEY  
BROOK LANE**

- ★ Lovely first floor apartment
- ★ Spacious accommodation
- ★ C/H, D/G, Refitted kitchen
- ★ Reception hall, ample storage
- ★ Charming lounge, bathroom
- ★ 2 generous fitted bedrooms
- ★ Neat, lawned grounds
- ★ Parking

Offers Around £82,950



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**£74,950**

**NEW PRICE**



**SPRINGHILL TERRACE  
BRERETON**

A three bedroomed mid terraced property ideal for first time buyers. Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Downstairs W.C., Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen and Utility Room. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off Road Parking and Garden to rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£90,000**

**NEW**



**BIRCHTREE LANE  
RUGELEY**

A well presented three bedroomed property ideal for first time buyers. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Downstairs W.C., Lounge, Kitchen, Utility Room and Dining Area. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off road parking and Garden to rear.

**£94,995**

**NEW**



**NEWMANS GROVE  
RUGELEY**

A well presented three bedroomed property close to town centre. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Lounge and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to front and Garden to rear.

**£94,995**


**NEW**



**TUPPENHURST LANE  
HANDSACRE**

A two bedroomed refurbished property ideal for investors/first time buyers. UPVC Double Glazing and Electric Heating. Accommodation comprises Lounge and Refitted Breakfast Kitchen. Landing. Two Bedrooms and Refitted Bathroom. Parking to front and Gardens to front and rear. AVAILABLE WITH NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£105,000**



**ALLEN BIRT WALK  
RUGELEY**

A three bedroomed family home close to local shops and amenities. UPVC double-glazing and Gas central heating. Entrance Porch, Reception Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen, Landing, Three Bedrooms and refitted Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£105,000**

**NEW**



**BIRCH LANE  
BRERETON**

A three bedroomed property close to local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Entrance Hallway, Kitchen, Lobby Area, Lounge and Conservatory. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear with DETACHED GARAGE and parking. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£107,000**

**NEW PRICE**



**ST MICHAELS ROAD  
BRERETON**

A three bedroomed property close to all local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Downstairs W.C., Lounge, Dining Room and Breakfast Kitchen. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Off Road Parking and Gardens to front and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£108,550**




**JOSEPH DIX DRIVE  
RUGELEY**

A well presented semi detached property close to local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Lounge, Dining Room and Kitchen. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Detached Garage with off road parking and Gardens to front and rear.

**£118,000**

**NEW PRICE**



**THE LINDENS  
RUGELEY**

A three bedroom semi detached town house on the edge of Rugeley. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of Hallway, Downstairs Cloakroom, Dining Kitchen, First Floor Landing leading to Lounge, Two Bedrooms and Family Bathroom, Second Floor Landing to Master Bedroom with Ensuite. Gardens to front and rear with Driveway to Integral Garage.


**£129,950**



**SHERINGHAM DRIVE  
ETCHINGHILL**

A refurbished three bedroomed link detached property close to all local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Lounge, Refitted Breakfast Kitchen. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway and gardens to front and rear.

**£129,995**



**PRIORY ROAD  
BRERETON**

A two bedroomed semi detached bungalow in a quiet location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Lounge, Kitchen, Inner Lobby, Two Bedrooms and Shower Room. Driveway to Carport and Gardens to front and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£132,500**



**ARMITAGE GARDENS  
BRERETON**

A family home situated on a non-estate position having UPVC double-glazing and Gas central heating. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Kitchen, Landing, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Single Garage with WC and storage area. Well presented garden leading down to the Trent & Mersey Canal. Viewing Essential

**£142,500**

**NEW**



**LODGE ROAD  
BRERETON**

Detached family home on corner plot. UPVC double-glazed and Gas centrally heated. Entrance Porch, Lounge, Dining Room, refitted Kitchen, Conservatory. Landing. Three Bedrooms and refitted Bathroom. Detached Garage to rear. Gardens to front, side and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN

**£145,000**



**BRIDLE WALK  
ETCHINGHILL**

A well presented two bedroomed link detached bungalow in quiet cul de sac location. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. Entrance Hallway, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear. NO UPWARD CHAIN.

**£155,000**

**NEW**



**CRESTWOOD RISE  
ETCHINGHILL**

A well presented link-detached family home offered with NO UPWARD CHAIN. UPVC Double Glazing and Gas Central Heating. Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Room and Refitted Kitchen. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Refitted Bathroom. Driveway providing parking plus access to CARPORT and SINGLE GARAGE. Gardens to front and rear.

**£169,995**



**BURNTHILL LANE  
RUGELEY**

A good sized family home offering UPVC double-glazing and Gas central heating. Entrance Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Lounge, Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen leading to open Conservatory, Utility Room, Landing, Four Double Bedrooms, En-suite Shower Room and Family Bathroom. Single Garage with gardens to front and rear.

**£177,500**

**PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED**



**WAVERLEY GARDENS  
ETCHINGHILL**

A four bedroomed detached property close to local amenities. Gas Central Heating and UPVC Double Glazing. The accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Downstairs Shower Room, Lounge, Dining Room and Kitchen. Landing. Four Bedrooms and Bathroom. Driveway to Garage and Gardens to front and rear.

**£185,000**

**NEW**



**WOLSELEY ROAD  
RUGELEY**

A detached property situated within walking distance to town centre. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hallway, Large Reception Hall, Guest Cloakroom, Lounge, Dining Room, Study, Breakfast Kitchen and Utility Room. Landing. Three Bedrooms and Family Bathroom. Extensive frontage with driveway to SINGLE GARAGE. Large lawned enclosed garden to rear.

**£310,000**



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**WHARF HOUSE  
RUGELEY**

First Floor Property. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, One Double Bedroom and Bathroom. Electric Heating. Allocated Parking. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS.

**£360 PCM****FERNWOOD DRIVE  
RUGELEY**

Re-furnished first floor flat benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises spacious Lounge, Kitchen, One Double Bedroom, One Storage Room and Bathroom. Off road parking to rear.

NO DSS. NO PETS. NO SMOKERS.

**£365 PCM**

NEW

**MOSS GREEN  
RUGELEY**

A ground floor flat benefiting from gas central heating and double-glazing. Entrance Porch, Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, One Bedroom and Bathroom with shower. Patio doors to small rear garden. Viewing Recommended.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

**£365 PCM**

NEW

**CANTERBURY DRIVE  
RUGELEY**

Modern ground floor apartment benefiting from Electric Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of open plan Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances. One Double Bedroom and Bathroom.

Allocated parking. NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

**£387 PCM**

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NEW

**YORK CLOSE  
RUGELEY**

A modern ground floor apartment with electric heating. Accommodation comprises Lounge, Kitchen with appliances, Bathroom and Double Bedroom. Allocated Parking. Viewing recommended.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS.

**£395 PCM****FERNWOOD DRIVE  
RUGELEY**

Spacious first floor flat. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Electric Heating. VIEWING RECOMMENDED. NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS.

**£405 PCM**

NEW

**ATLEE CRESCENT  
RUGELEY**

A ground floor flat benefiting from Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing and an enclosed garden. Accommodation comprises Lounge/Dining Room, Kitchen with some appliances, Bathroom and Double Bedroom. SORRY NO DSS. NO PETS. NO SMOKERS

**£420 PCM**

NEW

**HERON STREET  
RUGELEY**

Ground Floor flat. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Electric Heating. Gardens to front. Off road parking.

NO PETS NO SMOKERS NO DSS

**£430 PCM**

NEW

**VARDEN COURT  
RUGELEY**

Two bedroom flat with electric heating, located close to Rugeley town centre. Accommodation comprises Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Parking.

DSS CONSIDERED NO PETS NO SMOKERS

**£450 PCM**

NEW

**FORGE MEWS  
RUGELEY**

First Floor Maisonette situated within walking distance to the Town Centre. Communal Entrance Hall, Reception Hall, Lounge, Kitchen with some appliances. Two Bedrooms and refitted Bathroom. Communal Parking. Viewing Recommended.

**£475 PCM**

NEW

**COPPICE ROAD  
RUGELEY**

Semi-detached property benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Kitchen, Lobby, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. NO DSS. PETS CONSIDERED. NO SMOKERS.

**£475 PCM**

NEW

**QUEENSWAY  
RUGELEY**

Semi-detached property benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of Lounge, Refitted Kitchen/Diner with some appliances, Rear Lobby, Guest Cloaks, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Garden to rear. Available September 2012.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. PETS CONSIDERED.

**£490 PCM**

NEW

**WINDSOR CLOSE  
RUGELEY**

A modern two bedroomed townhouse benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Porch, Lounge, Inner Lobby, Guest Cloaks, Kitchen with some appliances, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocated parking. Gardens to front and rear. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS.

**£499 PCM**

NEW

**JUBILEE STREET  
RUGELEY**

A traditional property benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hall, Lounge, refitted Kitchen, Guest cloaks, Three Bedrooms and refitted Bathroom. Gardens to front and rear. Viewing recommended.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

**£505 PCM**

NEW

**OLD SCHOOL MEWS  
BRERETON**

Converted property benefiting from gas central heating. Entrance Hall, Kitchen with some appliances, Lounge, Two Bedrooms and Bathroom. Allocated parking. Viewing Highly Recommended.

NO DSS NO SMOKERS NO PETS

**£505 PCM**

NEW

**OLD SCHOOL MEWS  
BRERETON**

Modern converted property benefiting from Gas Central Heating. Accommodation comprises Entrance Hall, Lounge/Dining Room, Breakfast Kitchen with some appliances. First Floor Two Bedrooms and Family Bathroom, Second Floor One Bedroom with Guest Cloakroom off. Small Courtyard to rear. Allocated parking. Viewing recommended.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS.

**£515 PCM**

NEW

**ARCH STREET  
RUGELEY**

A refurbished mid terraced benefiting from Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Accommodation comprises of Lounge, Sitting room, Kitchen with oven, hob and extractor, Two double bedrooms and Bathroom. Garden to rear. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS. NO SMOKERS. NO PETS

**£515 PCM**

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**ALBANY DRIVE  
RUGELEY**

Detached property in sought after area. Accommodation comprises of Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Kitchen with some appliances, Three Bedrooms and Bathroom. Gas Central Heating and Double Glazing. Detached Garage. Gardens to front and rear. VIEWING RECOMMENDED.

NO DSS NO PETS NO SMOKERS

**£650 PCM**

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**Chetwynd Park**

A spacious family home with an OPEN ASPECT TO THE FRONT. This superbly presented home is comprised in brief of: Entrance porch, reception hall, guest cloakroom, sitting room, dining room, family room, conservatory and dining kitchen. Four bedrooms en suite and family bathroom to the first floor. Master suite to second.

**Price Guide £325,000**



**Love Lane**

Set in a sought after and desirable residential location Jayman Estate Agents are pleased to bring to the market this well presented detached bungalow Comprised in brief of lounge/dining room, fitted kitchen, playroom, utility, shower room, spacious master suite and two further bedrooms, drive car port and gardens.

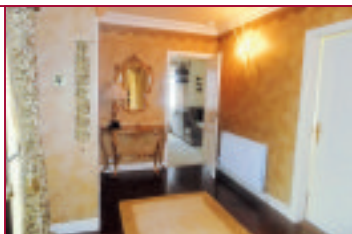
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**Wimblebury Road, Heath Hayes**

A beautifully presented four bedroom detached dormer bungalow offering spacious living accommodation. The property has a large rear garden plot with possible planning subject to relevant permissions for a two bedroom detached bungalow

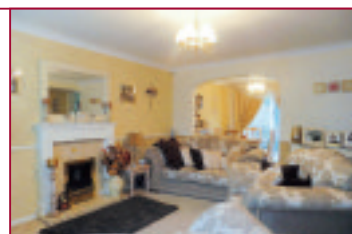
**Price Guide £265,000**



**Charlock Grove, Heath Hayes**

A superbly presented 4 bedroom detached . Entrance hall, lounge with dining area off, fitted kitchen with utility area and cloakroom off. Master bedroom with a re-fitted en suite shower & family bathroom. Driveway providing access to the integral garage. No Upwards Chain

**Price Guide £209,950**



**Littleworth Road, Hednesford**

Situated within a popular residential area is this spacious and well presented three double bedroom family home with contemporary features. Comprised in brief of lounge/diner, dining kitchen, three bedrooms, family bathroom, gardens, drive and garage.

**Price Guide £239,950**



**Streets Lane, Cheslyn Hay**

A spacious detached bungalow in a sought after residential area comprised in brief of Entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility, rear hall, cloakroom, three/four bedrooms and bathroom. Outside are gardens, garage and good size drive.

**Price Guide £209,995**



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## Newlands Court

A modern four bedroom home in a small cul-de-sac comprised of: Entrance Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen, Master Bedroom with En Suite, Three further bedrooms, Family bathroom, Garage and Gardens



## Dundalk Lane, Cheslyn Hay

- Two bedroom semi detached bungalow
- Conservatory, Driveway
- Entrance Hall, Lounge
- No DSS, No smokers
- Re-Fitted Bathroom & Re-Fitted Kitchen



## Cyprus Rise, Cannock

- Three Bedroom Semi-Detached House
- Double Glazing & Gas Central Heating
- Fitted Kitchen, Bathroom & Large Lounge
- Garage & Off Road Parking
- No Dss, Pets Or Smokers
- Available From May 2012



## 4 Picasso Close, Heath Hayes

- A Two Bedroom Mid Terrace House
- Electric Heating, Partial Double Glazing
- Lounge, Fitted Breakfast Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking to Front
- No DSS, Pets Or Smokers



## Weston Close, Heath Hayes

- A Three bedroom detached house
- Two reception rooms, kitchen
- Three bedrooms, Bathroom
- Front and rear gardens
- Garage and parking
- Fully furnished
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DDS



## Pheasant Way, Heath Hayes

- A Two Bedroom Second Floor Apartment
- Economy 7 Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No DSS



## Peregrine Way, Heath Hayes

- A Modern Three Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner, Guest WC
- Three Bedrooms, En-Suite, Bathroom
- Good Sized Rear Garden
- Garage & Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smoker or DSS
- Available 31st May 2011



## Swallowfield Drive, Hednesford

- A Two Bedroom Semi Detached Bungalow
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Hall
- Lounge, Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Driveway
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available Now



## Allport Road, Cannock

- A Traditional 2/3 Bedroom House
- Lounge, Dining Room & Breakfast Kitchen
- Study/Bedroom3
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Driveway Providing Off Road Parking
- No Dss or Smokers & Small Pets Considered
- Close To Cannock Town Centre



## Bettys Lane, Norton Canes

- Two Bedroom Mews House
- Lounge, Kitchen & Bathroom
- Double Glazed & Allocated Parking
- No Dss, Pets or Smokers



## 27 Woodford End, Chads Moor

- A Two Bedroom Semi Detached House
- Electric Heating, Double Glazing
- Lounge, Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden
- Off Road Parking
- Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DSS
- Available 15 April 2011



## Redwing Drive, Huntington

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Detached House
- Gas Central Heating & Double Glazing
- Lounge & Re-Fitted Kitchen/Diner
- Family Bathroom
- Front & Rear Gardens
- Garage & Driveway
- Available from 04/06/12
- No Dss, Pets Or Smokers

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**Eaton Croft, Rugeley**

**Reduced**



- Private Road Location
- Detached Property
- Four Bedrooms
- Two En-suites
- Two Reception Rooms
- Stunning Breakfast Kitchen
- Garage & Driveway
- No Chain

£264,995

**Park View Terrace, Rugeley**



- Well Presented
- Three Bedrooms
- Kitchen Diner
- DG & GCH
- Semi Detached
- Ideal 1st Time Purchase
- No Chain
- Must Be Viewed

£103,950

**Pine Trees, Brereton**



- Stunning Location
- Four Bedrooms
- Detached Family Home
- Two En-suites
- Superb Conservatory
- Landscaped Gardens
- Garage & Driveway
- Well Presented

£249,950

**Hagley Park Gardens, Rugeley**



- Well Presented
- Two Bedrooms
- Modern Mid Terraced
- Landscaped Gardens
- Allocated Parking
- DG & GCH
- Ideal 1st Time Purchase
- Viewing Essential


£107,995

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**Chichester Close, Rugeley**

**Reduced**



- Detached Family Home
- Four Bedrooms
- Two En-suite Bedrooms
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Utility & Guest WC
- Garage & Driveway
- Competitively Priced

£205,000

**Birch Wood, Uttoxeter Road, Handsacre**

**New**



- Detached Bungalow
- Two double bedrooms
- Double Glazed
- Lounge
- Kitchen
- Popular Village location
- Must Be Viewed

£159,950


**Priory Road, Brereton**



- Four Bedrooms
- Extended Semi Detached
- Stunning Kitchen
- Spacious Lounge Diner
- Landscaped gardens
- Ideal Family Home
- Well Presented
- Viewing Essential

£157,000

**Albany Drive, Rugeley**



- Stunning Link Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Fitted Kitchen With Appliances
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- Ample off Road Parking
- Delightful Garden
- No Chain

£150,000

**Green Lane, Rugeley**



- Detached House
- Three Bedrooms
- Extended To Rear
- Lounge & Dining Room
- Kitchen & Play Room
- DG & GCH
- Off Road Parking
- No Chain

£149,950

**Lockside View, Rugeley**

**Reduced**



- Semi Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Well Presented
- Lounge
- Kitchen Diner
- Stunning Bathroom
- Garage & Driveway
- No Chain

£129,950

**Sharnbrook Drive, Rugeley**



- Extended Semi Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge Diner
- Kitchen & Utility
- Garage & Driveway
- Low Maintenance Rear Garden
- Ideal Family Home
- Popular Location

£117,950

**Moss Green, Rugeley**

**Reduced**



- Three Bedrooms
- Semi Detached
- Lounge Diner
- Kitchen
- Family Bathroom
- DG & GCH
- Garage & Workshop
- Must Be viewed

Offers Over £115,000

**The Laurels, Brereton**

**Reduced**



- Terraced bungalow
- 2 Bedrooms
- Lounge & Kitchen
- Close To Amenities
- Scheme Managed (Warden Controlled)
- No Chain
- Viewing By Appointment
- Priced To Sell

£110,000

**Old Eaton Road, Rugeley**


**Reduced**



- Semi Detached
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge Diner
- In Need Of Modernisation
- Popular Location
- Chancel School Catchment
- No Chain
- Garage & Driveway

OFFERS INVITED £110,000

**Daywell Rise, Rugeley**




- Three Bedrooms
- Spacious Lounge
- Re-fitted Kitchen Diner
- Re-fitted Bathroom
- DG & GCH
- Garage
- Close To Cannock Chase
- Ideal First Time Purchase

£110,000

**Newman Grove, Rugeley**

**New**




- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen Diner
- Family Bathroom
- Gas Central Heating
- Off Road Parking
- No Chain
- Ideal Investment Purchase

£100,000

**Springhill Terrace, Rugeley**

**Reduced**



- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Kitchen Diner
- Utility & Guest Wc
- DG & GCH
- Off Road Parking
- No Chain
- Ideal Investment opportunity

£90,000

**Shaftsbury Road, Rugeley**

**NEW**



- Three Bedrooms
- Part Double Glazed
- Entrance Hall
- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Loft Room
- Off Road Parking

£84,950

**Springfield Road, Rugeley**

**To Let**



- Three Bedrooms
- Modern Property
- Garage & Parking
- Rear Garden
- DG & GCH
- Lounge Diner
- Sorry No DSS

£550 PCM

**York Close, Rugeley**

**To Let**



- Well Presented
- Two Bedrooms
- Lounge Diner
- DG & GCH
- Parking
- Rear Garden
- Popular Location
- Sorry No DSS

£525 PCM

**Lichfield Street, Rugeley**

**To Let**



- Second Floor Flat
- Town Centre Location
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner
- One Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Off Road Parking
- SORRY NO DSS

£395 PCM



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**MORETON STREET,  
CHADSMOOR**  
This newly refurbished ground floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, dining room, one bedroom and bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, communal garden and off road parking.  
**£350 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**NOTON EAST ROAD,  
NORTON CANES**  
This first floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and re-fitted bathroom. Benefiting from double glazing, electric heating and rear garden.  
**£375 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**CANTERBURY  
DRIVE, RUGELEY**  
Sited on a popular development, this well presented ground floor flat comprises; open plan lounge/kitchen, one bedroom and bathroom. With electric heating, double glazing and allocated parking.  
**£375 pcm Sorry No DSS.**



**TOWER VIEW ROAD,  
GREAT WYRLEY**  
A well presented first floor flat comprising; lounge/diner, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from electric heating, double glazing and communal gardens.  
**£400 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**WOLVERHAMPTON  
ROAD, CANNOCK**  
This well presented ground floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, one bedroom and bathroom. Benefiting from electric heating, majority double glazing, communal gardens and off road parking.  
**£425 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**SAM BARBER COURT,  
HEATH HAYES**  
This well presented first floor flat comprises; lounge, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from electric heating, double glazing and allocated parking.  
**£450 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**STEPHENSON WAY,  
HEDNESFORD**  
This first floor flat comprises of lounge, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing and allocated parking.  
**£450 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**HEDNESFORD ROAD,  
CANNOCK**  
This mid terrace house comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, downstairs bathroom and three bedrooms. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, gardens and off road parking.  
**£450 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**MOUNT STREET,  
HEDNESFORD**  
Newly renovated apartment with lounge, kitchen/diner, two bedrooms, shower room, electric heating system, double glazing, communal gardens and off road parking.  
**£475 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**PYE GREEN ROAD,  
CANNOCK**  
This semi detached house comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, downstairs bathroom and three bedrooms. Benefiting from gas central heating, not double glazing, gardens and off road parking.  
**£495 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**ANGLESSEY COURT,  
HEDNESFORD**  
This first floor duplex apartment comprises; lounge, kitchen, two double bedrooms and bathroom. With gas central heating, double glazing, garage and off road parking.  
**£525 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**THE OLD DAIRY,  
CANNOCK**  
Ideally situated for Cannock town centre, local amenities and public transportation, this modern and very well presented apartment comprises; lounge with flat screen tv, kitchen with appliances, two bedrooms and two en-suites. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, rear garden and allocated parking.  
**£525 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**STAGBOROUGH  
WAY, HEDNESFORD**  
This semi detached house comprises; lounge, kitchen/diner, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens and driveway.  
**£550 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**WATERBROOK WAY,  
BRIDGTOWN**  
This semi detached house comprises; lounge, kitchen/diner, conservatory, three bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, gardens and off road parking.  
**£550 pcm Sorry No DSS**



**REDHILL ROAD,  
CANNOCK**  
This well presented semi detached house comprises; lounge, kitchen, conservatory, downstairs bathroom and three bedrooms. Benefiting from gas central heating, front and rear gardens and driveway.  
**£575 pcm DSS Considered**



**WOLVERHAMPTON  
ROAD, CANNOCK**  
This very well presented mid terrace house comprises; lounge, dining room, kitchen, utility, downstairs bedroom and three bedrooms. Benefiting from gas central heating, majority double glazing, gardens and off road parking.  
**£575 pcm Sorry No DSS**

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**BRISBANE WAY, WIMBLEBURY**



This very well presented detached house comprises; lounge, dining room, re-fitted breakfast kitchen, utility, guest wc, conservatory, four bedrooms, en-suite and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway.  
**£249,950 PART EXCHANGE CONSIDERED**

**HEATH GAP ROAD, CANNOCK**



An ideal opportunity to acquire a unique detached family house occupying a good size plot. The accommodation comprises; entrance hall, guest wc, family lounge, good size dining/family area, modern fitted kitchen, four double bedrooms, master with modern fitted en-suite and family bathroom. Further benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, gardens, double garage/workshop and driveway.  
**£239,950 Or nearest offer**

**BLACKTHORN CRESCENT, HAZEL SLADE**



This well presented detached bungalow situated on a corner plot comprises; lounge/diner, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, double garage and driveway giving ample parking.  
**£219,995 No Chain**

**GREENHEATH ROAD, HEDNESFORD**



This very well presented & fully renovated semi detached house comprises; lounge, dining room, re-fitted kitchen, four bedrooms, re-fitted en-suite and family bathroom. Benefiting from gas central heating, double glazing, front and rear gardens, garage and driveway. Viewing essential to appreciate size and condition.  
**£215,000**

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## Hednesford

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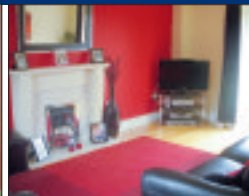
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# Spring ahead, get planting

As spring bulb planting continues, **Hannah Stephenson** looks at a trial of new daffodils and tulips and finds out whether new varieties are better than old favourite

**ITH** a wide choice of spring bulbs now available in garden centres and from bulb specialists, it's difficult to know which varieties to choose and is often tempting to stay with old favourites.

But there is a flurry of new bulbs worth trying, according to a trial of daffodils and tulips by Which? Gardening, the Consumers' Association magazine, which also suggests that new varieties produce better results than some of the older types.

Triallists found that the new bulbs had a more regular height and consistent flowering time, giving an overall better display than the older ones.

## Baking

Last autumn, triallists tested 53 new types of spring-flowering daffodils and tulips, growing them alongside five well-established varieties to use as a comparison. The bulbs were planted in early November, the narcissus twice their own depth and tulips three times their depth.

The bulbs had to withstand baking sun, high winds and torrential rain in spring.

Among the recommended daffodils were Narcissus 'Lieveke' (Walkers Bulbs), which was the longest-lasting bloom, whose dainty flowers have a green eye and delicious scent.

It bloomed for 45 days, producing three stems from each bulb and three flowers on each stem from April to May, the 45cm stems staying upright despite heavy downpours.

Other daffodil winners included the dwarf 'Sweet Love' (Peter Nyssen; Unwins), which produced the best scent, while the small, nodding, cream flowers with a yellow centre shed the rain with ease, and 'Swoop' (De Jaeger), another pint-sized type which produced



Now is the time to plant and new varieties can have more regular heights and better flowing displays

the most flowers of all the varieties. From 23 bulbs, more than 80 stems were produced, with swept-back yellow petals and nodding heads, perfect for naturalising around trees and woodland.

Many of the new tulips trialled also gave an excellent display, including Tulipa 'Dior' (HW Hyde & Son), which began to flower early, in April, producing several large double flowers in a luxurious shade of pink at the top of each stem.

## Jarring

If you're looking for unusual, the tulip 'Green Star' (Sarah Raven) may suit you, with its slender, elegant green flowers with cream tips held on long straight stems, daring enough to

catch the eye but without jarring. They were grown in pots with other tulips and found to be great companions for pinks, whites, purples and striped varieties, flowering in May and reaching a height of 45cm.

Other stars of the show included T. 'Black Jack' (Peter Nyssen), one of the darkest varieties with blooms with a velvety sheen which flowered earlier than old favourite 'Queen of Night' and persisted for five weeks.

They have long straight stems which would be good for cutting and combine well with white and pink tulips.

Those who want their tulips to withstand pounding rain should plump for T. 'La Belle Epoque', whose fully double apricot flowers,



Black jack tulip offers a striking addition

reminiscent of a peony, continued flowering through the rain.

The best new parrot tulip was 'Irene Parrot' (Peter Nyssen), bred from the popular 'Prinses Irene' and has mid-sized orange flowers that are frilled, cut and flamed to give an exotic look. Unlike other parrot tulips, it didn't flop under the weight of heavy rain during the trial and continued to flower for 31 days.

Stocks of new varieties of bulb can be limited so order them now.

Full details of the trial are in the September issue of Which? Gardening. Sign up to Which? for a one-month trial for £1.

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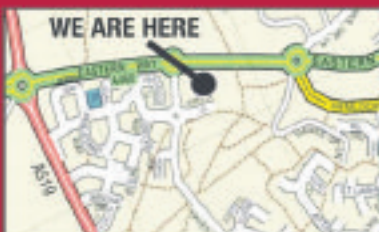
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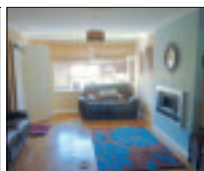
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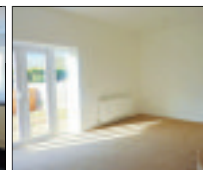
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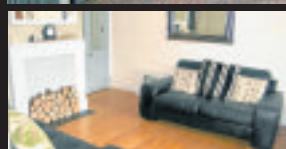
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### Stafford Road, Huntington

**Offers Over £80,000****NEW PRICE**

- No Upward Chain
- Ideal First Time Or Buy To Let Purchase
- Refurbished By Current Owners
- Two Bedroom Semi Detached
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Shared Driveway Providing Off Road Parking

### Hedgerow Close, Hednesford

**Offers Over £100,000****NEW PRICE**

- Two Bedrooms
- Conservatory
- Refitted Kitchen With Integrated Dishwasher
- Parking For Two Cars
- Well Presented
- Ideal First Time Purchase

**WANTED**  
Mrs B is looking for a 2/3 bedroom bungalow in Hednesford around the Littleworth Road, Stafford Road or Pendle Hill area. Can you help?  
Call Sarah on 01543 503678

### Upper Landywood Lane, Cheslyn Hay

**£200,000****NEW PRICE**

- Three Bedrooms
- Refitted Dining Kitchen
- Study, Conservatory
- Refitted En-Suite Shower Room
- Refitted Family Bathroom Suite
- Enclosed Rear Garden

### Sweetbriar Way, Heath Hayes

**£220,000****NEW PRICE**

- Detached House
- Refitted Enlarged Kitchen
- Private Rear Garden
- Cul-De-Sac Location
- En-Suite To Master Bedroom
- Three Double Bedrooms

### Chetwynd Park, Cannock

**£120,000**

- Ideal First Time Or Buy To Let Purchase
- No Upward Chain
- Fitted Kitchen, Guest WC
- Two Bedrooms
- Enclosed Rear Garden

### Hednesford Road, Norton Canes

**£210,000****• Driveway**

- Detached Bungalow
- Three Bedrooms
- Refitted Dining Kitchen
- Bathroom Suite
- Front And Rear Gardens

**WANTED**  
Mr & Mrs B are looking for a modern, minimum 3 bedroom property in the Wimblebury, Burntwood or Cannock area. They have sold their property!  
Can you help? Call Lesley on 01543 503678

### Pye Green Road, Hednesford

**£180,000****• Multiple Off Road Parking**

- Extended Family Home
- Re-Fitted Breakfast Kitchen
- En-Suite Shower Room To Master Bedroom
- Four Bedrooms
- Large Than Average Rear Garden



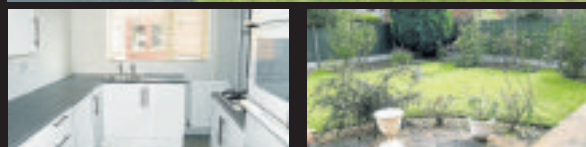
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### Barnwood Close, Cannock

**£240,000****NEW**

- Spacious Detached Bungalow
- Three Bedrooms
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Re-Fitted Bathroom Suite
- Well Maintained Front And Rear Gardens
- Garage And Driveway

**WANTED**  
Mr & Mrs D are looking for a 2 bedroom bungalow in the Cannock or Hednesford area up to £130,000. They have sold their property! Can you help? Call Lesley on 01543 503678

### Ashdale Close, Cannock



**SOLD STC - SIMILAR REQUIRED**

**Offers Over £80,000**

- No Upward Chain
- Ideal First Time Or Buy To Let Purchase
- Two Bedrooms
- Fitted Kitchen
- Upstairs Bathroom Suite
- Enclosed Rear Garden

### James Street, Cannock

**OIEO £90,000****NEW PRICE**

- No Upward Chain
- Well Presented Two Bedroom Semi Detached
- Ideal First Time Or Buy To Let Purchase
- Fitted Kitchen With Utility Area
- Re-Fitted Upstairs Bathroom Suite

### Rawnsley Road, Hednesford

**£140,000**

- Two Reception Rooms
- Conservatory
- Fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Enclosed Rear Garden
- Integral Garage and Driveway

### Brook Close, Penkridge

**£140,000****NEW**

- Modern Three Bedroom Town House
- Deceptively Spacious
- Re-Fitted Dining Kitchen With Integral Appliances
- Stunning Conservatory With Utility Room
- Re-fitted Bathroom Suite
- Well Maintained Rear Garden

**WANTED**  
Mr R is looking for a modern, spacious, detached property possibly with an annexe in the Cannock area up to £350,000. He has nothing to sell. Can you help? Call Sarah on 01543 503678

### School Lane, Coven

**£320,000****NEW**

- Unique Plot Of Two Character Cottages
- Set Within Approx 1/2 Acre Of Land
- One Bedroom Cottage
- Lounge
- Offering Semi Rural Living
- Further Potential For Business/Subject To Planning

### Broadhurst Green, Hednesford

**£140,000****NEW**

- Three Bedroom Detached Family Home
- Extended Lounge/Diner
- Fitted Kitchen With Additional Dining Area
- Re-Fitted Family Bathroom Suite
- Deceptive Rear Garden
- Garage And Driveway

### Hawthorne Road, Wimblebury

**£100,000**

- No Upward Chain
- Three Bedrooms
- Deceptive Rear Garden
- Re-Fitted Kitchen
- Lounge, Dining Room

### Dennfield Drive, Cheslyn Hay

**£300,000**

- Individually Designed Detached Bungalow
- Five Bedrooms
- Two Reception Rooms, Conservatory
- En-suite Shower Room
- Rear Garden
- Double Garage And Driveway

### Salisbury Drive, Cannock

**£120,000**

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom Semi
- Ideal First Time Or Buy To Let Purchase
- Popular Cul De Sac Location
- Re-Fitted Breakfast Kitchen, Open Plan Conservatory
- Enclosed Rear Garden Backing Onto Woodland
- Driveway Providing Off Road Parking

**WANTED**  
Miss W is a first time buyer looking for a 3 bedroom property with a large garden. Can you help? Call Sarah on 01543 503678

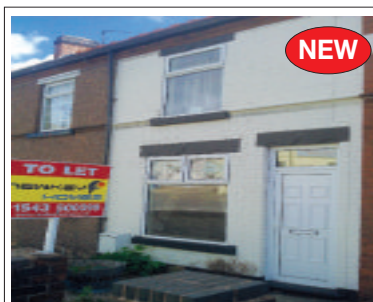




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# LANDLORDS REQUIRED

**NEW****108 Cannock Road****£495 PCM**

Fully Refurbished Mid Terraced 2 Bedroom Property  
2 reception Rooms  
Re-Fitted Kitchen  
family Bathroom  
Gas CH,  
Double Glazing,  
Off Road Parking

# FOLLOWING ANOTHER BUSY SUMMER WE URGENTLY REQUIRE MORE PROPERTIES

**NEW****Bank Street, Heath Hayes****£550 PCM**

Fully Refurbished to a high standard  
End Terrace Property  
Two Reception Rooms  
Fitted Kitchen  
Family Bathroom  
Three Bedrooms  
Central Heating & Double Glazing.

# LANDLORDS REQUIRED

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**83C Cannock Road****£500 PCM**

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CH / DG  
Off Road Parking  
DHSS Maybe Accepted subject to Suitable Guarantor

**Earls Road****£550 PCM**

End Terrace Property  
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Kitchen, 3 Bedrooms  
Family Bathroom with Walk-in Shower  
GCH/DG  
Off Road Parking to the rear  
DHSS Maybe accepted with Suitable Guarantor

# LANDLORDS REQUIRED

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**LET****Kingcup Drive****£850 PCM**

3 Story Link Detached Property  
Open Plan Kitchen Dining Room  
French Doors to Rear Garden, Guest WC  
Lounge, Family Bathroom  
4 Bed with master en-suite  
CH & DG  
Front & Rear Garden

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## GREAT WYRLEY



### Station Road

- A Well Presented Two Bedroom Detached Bungalow With No Upward Chain
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Hallway, Lounge, Kitchen, Dining Room/Bedroom Three, Two Bedrooms, Bathroom, Double Garage, Rear Garden,

NEW

£199,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Biddulph Park

- A Two Bedroom Mobile Home With No Upward Chain
- Central Heating, Double Glazing, Spacious Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen, Inner Hallway,
- Two Double Bedrooms, Shower Room, Enclosed Garden, Parking, Priced To Sell

NEW

£45,000

## BURNTWOOD



### Canock Road

- An Extended Four Bedroom Semi-Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Hall, Lounge, Fitted Dining Kitchen, 4 Bedrooms
- Fitted Bathroom, Tandem Garage, Ample Parking to Fore
- Beautifully Maintained Generous Rear Garden, Must Be Viewed

NEW

£164,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Bridge Cross Road

- An Two Bedroom Detached Bungalow With Added Annex
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Porch, Hall, Lounge, Dining Room, Conservatory,
- Family Breakfast Kitchen, En-Suite, 1 Bedroom Annex With Lounge, Bedroom, Office Area, Shower Room, Garage, Spacious Rear Garden, Ample Off Road Parking, Must Be Viewed

SPACIOUS ACCOMMODATION £249,995

## NORTON CANES



### Beaumont Way

- A 3 Storey Five Bedroom Modern Detached Home
- Gas Central Heating System, D/Glazing, Porch, Hall, Lounge, Dining Room,
- Kitchen, Conservatory, Guest W.C., Five Bedrooms, 2 En-Suites, Bathroom, Garage, Dressing Room, Off Road Parking, Viewing Essential!

VIEWING RECOMMENDED £220,000

## PROSPECT VILLAGE



### Pagets Chase

- A Modern Beautifully Presented 2 Bedroom Semi-Detached Home
- GCH System, D/Glazing, Hall, Lounge, Re-Fitted Kitchen/Dining Room,
- Superb Conservatory, Two Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom, Ample Parking

NEW

£134,995

## BURNTWOOD



### Russet Close

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom Mid-Town House With No Upward Chain!
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Entrance Porch, Dining Kitchen, Spacious Lounge, Three Bedrooms, Bathroom, Fore & Rear Gardens, Ideal 1st Time Buy / Buy To Let

EXCELLENT BUY TO LET

£104,950

## RAWNSLEY



### Rawnsley Road

- A Spacious Five Bedroom Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hall, Lounge, Sitting/Dining Room
- Conservatory, Kitchen, Utility, W.C., D/S Shower, Bathroom
- Four Bedrooms, Rear Garden, Off Road Parking, Offers Invited

5 BED WITH CONSERVATORY £185,000

## CHASE TERRACE



### Gullick Way

- A Modern Style 2 Bedroom End Town House With Garage
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hallway, Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Family Bathroom, Fore & Rear Gardens, Garage, Off Road Parking, Viewing Highly Recommended

EXCELLENT 1ST TIME BUY £139,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Park View

- A Two Double Bedroom Detached Bungalow With En-Suite, Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Porch, Hall, Spacious Lounge, Two Double Bedrooms,
- Bathroom, Garage, Conservatory, Fore & Rear Gardens, Parking and No Upward Chain

SIMILAR REQUIRED £167,500

## CHASE TERRACE



### Thorpe Avenue

- An Upgraded Four Bedroom Semi-Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Porch, Lounge, Dining Room, Re-Fitted Kitchen
- D/Steps Wet Room, Four Bedrooms, Spacious Bathroom
- Utility Room, Five Bedrooms, Family Bathroom, Shower Room
- Good Sized Rear Garden, Ample Off Road Parking, No Upward Chain, Viewing Highly Recommended

SOLD £139,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Thorpe Street

- Beautifully Presented Traditional Three Bedroom Detached Cottage
- Gas Central Heating Double Glazing, Entrance Porch, Hallway, Re-Fitted Kitchen,
- Lounge, Sitting Room, Downstairs Family Bathroom, Three Bedrooms, En-Suite,
- Conservatory, Rear Garden, Off Road Parking, Garage

VIEWING HIGHLY RECOMMENDED £199,995

## BROWNHILLS



### Sadlers Mill

- A Beautifully Re-Furnished Two Bedroom Ground Floor Apartment
- New Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing Hallway, Lounge with Views
- Two Double Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Kitchen & Bathroom
- Allocated Parking & No Upward Chain, Ideal First Time Buy

NO UPWARD CHAIN £99,950

## CHASE TERRACE

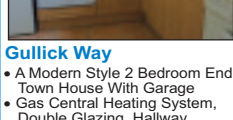


### St Johns Close

- A Modern Style 3 Bedroom Semi-Detached Property With Detached Garage
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hallway, Guest W.C.
- Fitted Kitchen, Three Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Detached Garage, Off Road Parking

EXCELLENT 1ST TIME BUY £129,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Gullick Way

- A Modern Style 2 Bedroom End Town House With Garage
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hallway, Lounge, Breakfast Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms, Family Bathroom, Fore & Rear Gardens, Garage, Off Road Parking, Viewing Highly Recommended

EXCELLENT 1ST TIME BUY £139,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Park View

- A Two Double Bedroom Detached Bungalow With En-Suite, Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Porch, Hall, Spacious Lounge, Two Double Bedrooms,
- Bathroom, Garage, Conservatory, Fore & Rear Gardens, Parking and No Upward Chain

SIMILAR REQUIRED £167,500

## CHASE TERRACE

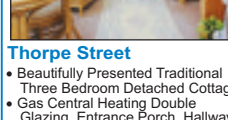


### Thorpe Avenue

- An Upgraded Four Bedroom Semi-Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Porch, Lounge, Dining Room, Re-Fitted Kitchen
- D/Steps Wet Room, Four Bedrooms, Spacious Bathroom
- Utility Room, Five Bedrooms, Family Bathroom, Shower Room
- Good Sized Rear Garden, Ample Off Road Parking, No Upward Chain, Viewing Highly Recommended

MUST BE VIEWED £229,995

## CHASE TERRACE



### Thorpe Street

- Beautifully Presented Traditional Three Bedroom Detached Cottage
- Gas Central Heating Double Glazing, Entrance Porch, Hallway, Re-Fitted Kitchen,
- Lounge, Sitting Room, Downstairs Family Bathroom, Three Bedrooms, En-Suite,
- Conservatory, Rear Garden, Off Road Parking, Garage

VIEWING HIGHLY RECOMMENDED £199,995

## PELSALL



### Norton Road

- A Well Presented Traditional Three Bedroom Property Located Within Walking Distance To The Village
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Inner Hallway, Lounge, Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen, Bathroom, Three Bedrooms,
- Off Road Parking To The Rear, No Upward Chain, Excellent First Time Buy

NO UPWARD CHAIN £134,950

## NORTON CANES



### Red Lion Crescent

- A Re-Furnished 3 Bedroom Semi-Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hallway, Spacious Lounge
- Re-Fitted Breakfast Kitchen, Downstairs Bathroom, Guest W.C.
- Three Bedrooms, Shower Room, Ample Off Road Parking, Fore & Rear Gardens

MUST BE VIEWED

£119,950

## CHASE TERRACE



### Rochester Avenue

- A Spacious Re-Furnished 3 Double Bedroom Link Detached Bungalow Adapted To Wheel Chair Use, Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Hall, Lounge,
- Re-Fitted Dining Kitchen, 3 Double Bedrooms, En-Suite Wet Room to Master
- Separate Shower Room, Ample Parking, Landscaped Rear Garden, No Upward Chain

NEW

£179,950

## BROWNHILLS



### Whitehorse Road

- A Well Maintained 3 Bedroom Link Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Porch, Lounge, Dining Kitchen
- Guest W.C., Tandem Garage, 3 Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Superb Frontage & Off Road Parking, Views To Fore

3 BED WITH GUEST W.C.

£155,000

## PELSALL



### Windrush

- A Spacious, Modern & Well Presented Furnished Two Bedroom Executive Style 1st Floor Apartment, E7 Heating, Double Glazing, Hallway, Fitted Kitchen
- Open Plan Lounge With Juliet Balcony, Bathroom, Two Bedrooms, Allocated Parking, Sorry No Pets, Dhs Or Smokers, Viewing Highly Recommended

AVAILABLE NOW £575 PCM

## CLAYHANGER



### Bridgeside Close

- A Two Bedroom Ground Floor Apartment
- Heating, Double Glazing, Hall, Lounge, Fitted Kitchen, Two Bedrooms
- Bathroom, Allocated Parking, Bathroom, Sorry No Pets, Smokers or DHSS

NEW £495 PCM

## CHASE TERRACE



### Lulworth Road

- A Three Bedroom Semi-Detached Property
- Gas Central Heating, Double Glazing, Porch, Hall, Lounge/Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, Re-Fitted Spacious Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Garage, Parking, Available Now

SIMILAR URGENTLY REQUIRED! £650 PCM

## BURNTWOOD



### Manor Rise

- A Well Presented Three Bedroom End Town House
- Gas Central Heating System, Double Glazing, Lounge/Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen,
- Three Bedrooms, Bathroom, Garage, Parking, Sorry No Pets/Smokers or DHSS

NEW £550 PCM

## CHASETOWN



### Cottage Lane

- A Modern Two Bedroom Ground Floor Apartment
- Storage Heating, Double Glazing, Open Plan Lounge & Kitchen,
- Bathroom, Two Bedrooms, Parking, Sorry No Pets, Smokers Or Dhs

AVAILABLE NOW £475 PCM

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## Lakelands Court, Hednesford



- Four Bedroom (3 Storey)
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Fully Fitted Kitchen, Guest Cloaks
- Bathroom and En Suite
- Oak Doors, Wooden Floors
- Underfloor Heating, Garage

£309,995

## Dorchester Road, Cannock



- Detached dormer bungalow
- Three/four bedrooms, bathroom
- Shower room
- lounge
- Sitting room, kitchen
- Dining area/study
- Garage, driveway parking

£269,995

## Bideford Way, Cannock



- Well Presented Detached Bungalow
- Situated in Popular Location
- Lounge, Modern
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Three Generous Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Landscaped Gardens, Drive, Garage

£245,000

## Hatherton Road, Cannock



- Superb Executive Detached Family Home
- Improved to a Very High Standard
- Lounge, Study, Utility, Kitchen, Dining
- Room
- Family Room, Cloaks, Five Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Two En-suites, Double Garage, Gardens, Swimming Pool

£695,000

## Allport Street, Cannock



- Impressive Three Storey Detached in Popular Location
- Improved to an Exceptionally High Standard
- Lounge with Balcony
- Dining Room, Re-fitted Kitchen
- Sitting Room, Utility, Guest WC, Re-fitted Bathroom
- Three Double Bedrooms, Double Garage, and Off Road Parking

£349,950

## Brisbane Way, Wimblebury



- Executive Detached Family Home
- Generously Proportioned Accommodation
- Extensive Corner Plot with Open Aspect
- Four Beds, En-suite, Bathroom
- Conservatory Double Garage, Drive

£329,950

## Gorse Lane, Cannock



- Impressive Detached House
- Lounge, Re-fitted Kitchen
- Dining Room, Utility, Shower
- Room
- Four Good Size Bedrooms, En-suite & Bathroom
- Gardens, Double Garage & Drive

OIEO £300,000

## Lakelands Court, Hednesford



- Four Bedroom (3 Storey)
- Lounge, Dining Room
- Fully Fitted Kitchen, Guest Cloaks
- Bathroom and En Suite
- Oak Doors, Wooden Floors
- Underfloor Heating, Garage

£309,995

## Dorchester Road, Cannock



- Detached dormer bungalow
- Three/four bedrooms, bathroom
- Shower room
- lounge
- Sitting room, kitchen
- Dining area/study
- Garage, driveway parking

£269,995

## Bideford Way, Cannock



- Well Presented Detached Bungalow
- Situated in Popular Location
- Lounge, Modern
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Three Generous Bedrooms, Shower Room
- Landscaped Gardens, Drive, Garage

£245,000

## Four Crosses Lane, Hatherton



- Exclusive Modern Extended Village Residence
- Situated on Extensive Plot in Popular Location
- Lounge, Dining Area
- Re-fitted Kitchen, WC
- Three Bedrooms & Re-fitted Bathroom
- Courtyard, Outbuildings, Gardens, Parking

£235,000

## Coniston Way, Cannock



- Impressive Detached Bungalow Close to Cannock
- Renovated to Very High Standard
- Large Lounge
- Two Double Bedrooms & Shower Room
- Landscaped Gardens, Drive, Garage

£235,000

## Buttercup Close, Huntington



- Modern Executive Detached House in Popular Location
- Popular New Development
- Attractive Lounge, Dining Room, Study, Guest WC
- Modern Fitted Kitchen, Utility, Conservatory
- Four Bedrooms, Master with En-suite, Bathroom
- Open Aspect to the Rear, Double Garage, Gardens, Drive

£229,950

## Quinton Place, Norton Canes



- Modern Well Presented Detached House
- Situated on Popular Small Development
- Lounge, Diner, Kitchen, WC, Utility
- Area
- Five Beds, En-suite, Dressing Area, Bathroom
- Garage, Gardens, Drive No Upward Chain

227,500

## Green Meadows, Heath Hayes



- Well Presented Detached House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Re-fitted WC & Bathroom
- Four Bedrooms and En-suite
- Gardens, Double Garage & Drive

£217,995

## Callaghan Grove, Heath Hayes



- Detached House on Corner Plot
- Situated in Popular Cul-de-Sac
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- WC
- Four Double Beds, En-suite, Bathroom
- Front, Side & Rear Gardens, Drive, Garage

£216,950

## Meadowsweet Way, Wimblebury



- Four bedroom detached house
- Through hallway, Study
- Dining room, Bathroom
- Garage, Gardens
- Parking
- Master with ensuite, Guest Cloaks, Lounge
- Breakfast Kitchen
- Upvc Dc, GCH, Alarmed

£204,995

**Call Now to Book a Free Valuation and Discuss Competitive Fees**

## Willowherb Close, Heath Hayes



- Modern Detached Family Home in Superb Location
- Private Position Opposite Conservation Area
- Large Conservatory, Re-fitted Kitchen, Utility & WC
- Three Bedrooms, En-suite Shower Room, Bathroom
- Gardens, Drive Providing Ample Parking, Must Be Viewed

£199,950

## Ansty Drive, Heath Hayes



- Well Presented Modern Detached House
- Lounge, Re-fitted Kitchen / Diner
- Three Beds & Re-fitted Bathroom
- Good Size Rear Garden with Large Patio
- Kitchen & Drive, Must Be Viewed, No Chain

£164,950

## Hobby Way, Heath Hayes



- Modern End Terrace House
- Lounge/Diner, Kitchen
- Three
- Generous Bedrooms
- En-suite & Bathroom
- Gardens, Drive & Garage

£150,000

## Cannock Road, Heath Hayes



- Cottage Style Detached Property in Popular Location
- Kitchen, Dining Room & Attractive Lounge
- Three Bedrooms & Family Bathroom
- Block Paved Drive, Extensive Enslavable Rear Garden
- Range of Outbuildings & Summerhouse, Must Be Viewed

£149,950

## Priory Road, Hednesford



- Impressive Semi Detached Bungalow
- Generous Corner Plot
- Lounge/Diner, Kitchen, Sunroom
- Three Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Gardens, Drive, Garage, Carport

£147,950

## Cannock Wood Street, Hazelslade



- Well Presented Semi Detached House
- Spacious Lounge, Re-fitted Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Backing onto Nature Reserve
- Garage, Drive, Landscaped Gardens

£139,950

## West Hill Avenue, Hednesford



- Traditional Semi Detached House
- Situated in Popular Cul-de-Sac
- Lounge, Dining
- Room, Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms & Wet Room
- Parking & Generous Rear Garden

£129,950

## Hawthorne Road, Wimblebury



- Well Presented Semi Detached in Popular Location
- Backing onto Cannock Chase & Close to Amenities
- Lounge / Dining Room
- Conservatory, Kitchen & Utility
- Three Generous Bedrooms & Family Bathroom
- Extensive Rear Garden, Ample Parking to Front, No Chain

£128,950

## Stafford Road, Huntington



- Well Presented Semi Detached
- Situated in Popular Location
- Lounge/Diner, Kitchen
- Three Beds, Re-fitted Shower Room
- Garage, Gardens, Drive, No Chain

£124,950

## Denbury Close, Heath Hayes



- Well Presented Semi Detached House
- Corner Position in Popular Location
- Lounge, Dining Area & Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms and Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Garage and Drive

£124,950

## George Street, Hednesford



- Semi Detached House
- Situated in Popular Location
- Lounge, Dining Room & Attractive Lounge
- Three Bedrooms & Family Bathroom
- Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Rear Garden, Garage & Drive

£119,950

## Blithfield Place, Brownhills



- Modern Semi Detached House
- Lounge, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Beds, Bathroom
- Landscaped Detached Rear Garden
- Easy Access to Amenities & Chase Water

£109,950

## Cross Street, Cheslyn Hay



- Idyllic Village Residence
- Lounge, Dining Room, Fitted Kitchen
- Two Double Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Communal Provisions & Garage

£109,950

## Belt Road, Hednesford



- Attractive Semi Detached House
- Generous Living Accommodation
- Two Double Bedrooms
- Bathroom
- Drive with Ample Parking Provisions
- No Chain, Must Be Viewed

£109,950

## Princess Street, Cannock



- Extended Semi Detached House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Rear Garden & Drive, Viewing Impressive

£109,950

## Pope Grove, Hednesford



- Semi Detached Bungalow
- Fully Refurbished on Corner Plot
- Lounge, Kitchen, Shower Room
- Conservatory, Double Bedroom, Parking Provisions
- Available Fully Furnished No Chain

£99,950

## Kendall Court, Cannock



- Well Presented Semi Detached Bungalow
- Situated in Popular Residential Location
- Lounge, Fitted Kitchen, Double Bedroom
- Shower Room, Front, Side & Rear Gardens
- No Upward Chain, Must Be Viewed

£89,950



## Stoney Croft, Cannock



- Modern Detached House
- Lounge, Dining Room, Kitchen
- Utility, WC
- Conservatory
- Four Beds, En-suite, Bathroom
- Communal Gardens, Drive

£950pcm Sorry No DSS

## Sunfield Road, Cannock



- Detached House
- Popular Residential Location
- Large lounge, Kitchen/Diner
- Four Beds, En-suite, Bathroom
- Communal Gardens, Drive

£795pcm Sorry No DSS

## Caspian Way, Wheaton Aston



- Semi Detached Bungalow
- Popular Village Location
- Lounge / Diner
- Kitchen
- Two Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Garage & Parking

£575pcm Sorry No DSS

## Willowbrook Court, Hednesford



- Modern Second Floor Flat
- Popular Location
- Lounge /
- Diner, Kitchen
- Two Beds & Bathroom
- Communal Parking

£570pcm Sorry No DSS

## Allport Street, Cannock



- Traditional End Terrace House
- Close to Cannock Town Centre
- Lounge, Dining
- Room, Kitchen
- Three Bedrooms, Bathroom
- Shared Drive & Parking

£550pcm Sorry No DSS

## Sash Court, Stafford



- Modern Apartment
- Close to Town Centre
- Lounge, Kitchen/Diner
- Two Beds, Bathroom
- Off Road Parking

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- Double Bedroom, Bathroom
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### Kingswood Drive, Norton Canes



£125,000

A well presented semi detached house which is being sold with no upward chain. Comprising of: entrance hall, lounge diner, fitted kitchen, conservatory, three bedrooms and bathroom. To the outside there is a driveway with a garage and front and rear gardens.

### Walnut Drive, Cannock



£110,000

FREEHOLD

Three bedroom semi detached house with no upward chain. It comprises of entrance hall, lounge, kitchen diner and bathroom. It benefits from gas central heating, double glazing and cavity wall insulation. There is a driveway with garage, front and rear gardens.

### The Meadows, Wedges Mills, Cannock



£260,000

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A modern detached property offering: entrance hall, lounge, dining room, fitted kitchen diner, conservatory, four double bedrooms and bathroom. Driveway with garage, front and rear gardens.

### Norton Hall Lane, Norton Canes



£240,000

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An improved traditional extended linked detached bungalow. It briefly comprises entrance hall, lounge diner, refitted kitchen diner, master bedroom with refitted en-suite, two further double bedrooms and refitted bathroom. Driveway with garage and rear garden. It also benefits from central heating and double glazing with no upward chain.

### Upper Landywood Lane, Cheslyn Hay, Walsall



£200,000

REDUCED

Well presented modern detached house offering entrance hall, guest WC, lounge, dining room, refitted kitchen diner, conservatory, three bedrooms, study or dressing room and refitted bathroom. Driveway with garage and rear garden.

### Sutherland Road, Cheslyn Hay, Walsall



£140,000

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Three bedroom extended semi detached property with no upward chain on a generous size plot. Comprising: entrance hall, lounge diner, kitchen and bathroom. There is a driveway with garage and 100' rear garden. It also benefits from gas central heating and double glazing.

### Shaws Lane, Great Wyrley, Walsall



£245,000

Traditional double fronted detached dormer bungalow located on 1/3 acre with no upward chain. Comprising: entrance hall, guest WC, lounge, kitchen diner, five bedrooms and bathroom. Driveway and garage. The property also benefits from gas central heating and double glazing.

### Woody Bank, Cheslyn Hay



£122,950

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Well presented modern semi detached property being sold with no upward chain. Comprising: entrance hall, lounge, fitted kitchen diner, three bedrooms and refitted bathroom. Driveway with front and rear gardens. The property also benefits from gas central heating and double glazing.

### Pillaton Drive, Huntington



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Well presented modern end town house with two allocated parking spaces. It boasts entrance hall, lounge diner, fitted kitchen, two double bedrooms and bathroom. It benefits from gas central heating and double glazing. It has front and rear gardens.

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A greatly improved mid terrace property with no upward chain. it comprises of an entrance porch, refitted kitchen, lounge diner, conservatory, three double bedrooms and refitted bathroom. It benefits from gas central heating and double glazing. There is a driveway with garage which is currently converted into a utility and store room and rear garden.





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# Trends shift in first car ownership



The Mini Cooper – a firm favourite at No 10



Ford takes the first three places, pictured is the Anglia

**MANY** young motorists now rely on their parents to fork out for their first car, according to a survey.

In the 1960s, around 80 per cent of first-time car owners funded their purchase themselves, according to the poll by insurance company Aviva.

But now around a third of first cars are paid for by someone else, most likely by mothers and fathers or other family members. The recent reliance on the bank of mum and dad comes despite the fact that the average age to buy a first car is now 25, compared with 21 in the 1960s.

But today's drivers are much more likely (26 per cent) to have a new car as their first motor than in the 1960s (eight per cent), when nearly everyone cut their motoring teeth on second-hand models.

**Popular**

In the 1960s, only six per cent of first-time car owners had their motor insurance paid for by someone else, while now the figure is as high as 21 per cent.

The poll also showed that the most popular first car of the last 50 years was the Ford Escort, followed by the Ford Fiesta, Ford Anglia and Vauxhall Corsa.

Aviva marketing director Heather Smith says: "Owning a first car is a fan-

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4. Vauxhall Corsa
5. Nissan Micra
6. Vauxhall Viva
7. Morris Minor
8. Volkswagen Golf
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10. Mini Cooper

tastic milestone of independence and whether it's a much-loved treasure or a shiny new set of wheels, it provides an important rite of passage for any driver.

Over the past five decades, we have seen a fundamental shift in the typical first car owner.

"However, despite these changes, the nation's love for affordable classics, from Corsas to Golfs, Fords have stayed at the forefront in the history of the first car and feature as firm favourites across Britain's driveways."



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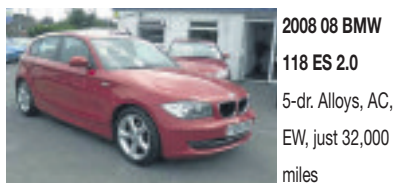
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2008 58		
2003 03		
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The BMW X3 is now available in rear-wheel-drive – the sDrive18d costs £28,580 for the entry level

# Rear-wheel-drive model of BMW sports utility vehicle

BMW's X3 medium-sized SUV is now available in rear-wheel-drive 'sDrive18d' guise, with a lower price, a lower CO2 output and higher fuel economy than ever before.

Until now, the X3 had been available only in 'xDrive' four-wheel-drive form, but the new arrival gives buyers a more frugal and more accessible option if the benefits of four driven wheels don't apply to them.

The well-known 141bhp, 266lb/ft diesel engine can be mated to a six-speed manual or an eight-speed automatic gearbox, with CO2 and economy figures for the manual recorded at 135g/km and 55.4mpg; 14g/km and 4mpg better than the more powerful xDrive20d.

Priced at £28,580 on the road, the entry-level sDrive18d undercuts the existing range by nearly £3,000 and is likely to be especially popular with fleet buyers.

It will slot into the base of the range but will conform to its predefined norms, being made available in SE and M Sport trim lines.

## Technology

Apart from Hill Descent Control, which is only available for four-wheel-drive X3 models, the new model matches the xDrive20d's kit list in all areas.

SE models feature engine stop-start technology, Drive Performance Control, 17in alloy wheels, Nevada leather upholstery and BMW iDrive with a 6.5in colour screen.

M Sport models have a host of sporty additions, such as 18in alloy wheels, M Sport bodywork, sports seats and sports suspension.

The sDrive18d is the fourth diesel model in the X3 range, alongside the xDrive20d, 30d and 35d.

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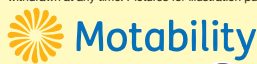
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The Austin Mini was launched in 1959 and notched up 5.4 million sales during its 41-year lifetime.

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## Figures

The poll was conducted to coincide with the announcement that Britain's car manufacturing output is set to eclipse its highest levels by 2015, thanks to massive investment from car makers in the country.

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# Sometimes it's better to take the soft option

IF all those numbers finally come up and the lottery winnings are secure in the bank account, one of the first things most people would look to do would be buy a new car.

What about suggesting a car for every day of the week because it does appear that this is now possible with the latest incarnation of the Mini Series, writes Bob Hickman.

The new Mini Roadster isn't just a convertible, because Mini already has a four-seater convertible. No, the new Mini Cooper cabriolet is based on the coupe version but it now has the benefit of a soft top which can be stored away for open-top motoring.

This, however, is where convention changes in that this Mini is a pure two-seater, it has lost the two back seats. There isn't even space to put a small child behind the seat, you may be lucky to put a coat or a jumper but that is about it. This is competition for, dare I say it, the ubiquitous Mazda MX-5, even the Audi TT, or other pure two-seater small cars.

Mini has attempted to change the looks of this vehicle to tempt more buyers. After all, when you already have a Mini convertible, you need something slightly different to make people change, and it does have a more stylish look. The roof is lower and the front windscreen is extremely rakish. One big advantage this new vehicle has over its sibling is the fact that it has a very useable boot.

To lower the cabriolet roof you unclip a catch at the front and lift it up and then an electric motor takes it away. This could be an issue for some people. My wife, who is not the strongest of people, had difficulty twisting the mechanism and certainly more difficulty pushing the mechanism up before the electric took over. That said, once the roof was stored it was a delightful vehicle to drive and to appreciate the joys of open-top motoring.

## Blind spots

I was not keen on the roof-up driving mode, there are an enormous amount of blind spots at the rear, made worse because you don't have the two rear side windows that the four-seater convertible has. However, with the aid of rear parking sensors and time to adapt and be careful when reversing, I suppose I could live with this.

The new cabriolet is available with three petrol engines with a choice of either 121bhp, or 181bhp in the Cooper S which was my test vehicle. This has an alleged top speed of 141mph and a CO2 emissions figure of 139g/km so it is never going to be in the cheap tax bracket. There is also the fire-breathing 208bhp in the John Cooper Works Special. There will be a two-litre diesel available, but I suspect the Cooper S will be one of the best sellers and it is quite easy to understand why.

The power and the joy of driving this vehicle heralds a return to the days of the hot-hatch, it really is a rewarding vehicle, certainly the gear ratios are perfect and the vehicle eagerly leapt forward no matter which gear was chosen.

But the chassis is extremely taut and on anything other than a reasonably good surface you feel the jolts and jars. It is a very firm ride and I don't really understand why, I have been in thousands of vehicles that handle superbly without this taut, tight suspension.

The driving dynamics are superb, think go-kart if you have ever had the privilege of taking one round the track and you begin to appreciate what the little Mini is like. It holds the road extremely well and at all times the steering was rewarding.

There is some bluster and wind noise when the roof is in the down mode, but that is part of the joy of open-top motoring.

From an interior point of view the dashboard is what you expect on a Mini. The huge dial in the middle has creeping graphics that sneak around telling you how fast you are going. I love the interior lights that give an ambient feel and change colour as you are meandering along your way.

I do not like the switchgear on Minis, I never have done. There is a plethora of 'toggle switches' and you need to put on your glasses to see what each one does - they are over complicated.

Out of the two options, the coupe or the convertible, I prefer the convertible. I always think that the coupe looks as if it should be a tin-top convertible, it looks squat whereas this little two-seater Roadster is a gem, and with prices starting at £18,020 I am convinced that yet another Mini success story is being written.



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The new Toyota Auris has seen major changes, including body styling and the car's interior

# New-look Toyota to be unveiled at Paris show

**TOYOTA will give the new Auris its first public appearance at the Paris Motor Show.**

The most obvious change is the updated styling, including Toyota's new 'face' and more angular rear lights, which look very much like the units on the Hyundai i30.

The Auris has come in for criticism over its life but the new model aims to change that with a much-improved interior, sharper styling and a more cleverly packaged interior.

A Toyota insider was quoted as saying the new model's interior look, feel and outright quality is a 'quantum leap' ahead of the outgoing one.

To make the new cabin feel much more upmarket than before, Toyota has paid special attention to the 'sensory quality' of the cabin and has worked in tiny detail to achieve

a sense of visual unity by using consistent lighting, colours and finishes.

Full hybrid, diesel and petrol versions of the Derbyshire-built car will be produced, with the spread of the range expected to be broadly similar to the current line-up. Expect a choice including a 1.4-litre diesel, a 1.3-litre petrol and a 1.6-litre petrol.

## Weight

Weight management has been a key part of Toyota's development of the Auris, and unnecessary bulk has been cut out at every chance to reduce the car's weight by around 40kg depending on the model.

To enhance efficiency, special attention has been paid to aerodynamics.

A 55mm reduction in the height of the all-new bodysheet helps achieve a low drag coefficient of 0.28; excellent for the class and down from 0.29 for the Auris it replaces.

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## Expansion bid as accessory firm marking a milestone



Managing director Mike Wheeler at Auto Styling

**AN ACCESSORY manufacturer is celebrating sealing a deal to expand its production plant as it marks a milestone anniversary.**

Auto Styling Truckman, a 4x4 and pick-up vehicle accessory manufacturer and distributor, has announced plans to increase the size of its factory at Brierley Hill.

It will add a further 15,000 sq ft adjacent to its existing facility to expand its manufacturing operations and create more stock holding space for its product range.

The firm was founded by entrepreneur Mike Wheeler and the company has continued to grow as it reaches its 10th anniversary this year.

This latest expansion follows increased demand for its range of hardtops for pick-up trucks, which it manufactures in the UK under the automotive accessory brand, 'Truckman'.

## Cement

Auto Styling, which employs 29 people and is a distributor of accessories for SUVs and 4x4 vehicles, acquired the Truckman brand after it rescued the hardtop manufacturer from administration in 2008.

Mr Wheeler said the firm was delighted to be able to cement the deal for the extended site, in Narrowboat Way, to coincide with its 10th year.

He said Truckman hardtops have proved popular with commercial users of pick-up trucks in sectors such as agriculture, construction, emergency services and utilities. Demand is also growing from private owners who are using the hardtops to increase kerb-appeal of their pick-up trucks as well as the versatility of the vehicles.

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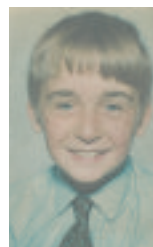
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## Comeback sees ladies' friendly go to a draw

**Cannock 1**  
**Birmingham University 1**  
CANNOCK ladies hockey firsts hit back from a goal down to draw in their final friendly before the start of the new season.

A number of mistakes by Cannock helped Birmingham to an early lead.

Cannock struggled to convert their chances, but levelled through Lucy Spencer's excellent strike.

Cannock's first league game is away at Whitley Bay on Saturday.

**Cannock 9 Shrewsbury 2**  
The thirds continued their pre-season work with a convincing victory.

A hat-trick for Ellie Bradbury, a brace each for Emma Smith and Michelle Woodward added to single strikes for Shannon Deakin and Luck Black saw them home at Chase Park.

Shrewsbury did well to get a side together for a fixture agreed only four days before.

**Cannock 2 Shrewsbury 1**  
The thirds' busy pre-season continued with a trip to Redditch for a triangular tournament against the hosts' first team and Shrewsbury seconds.

The hot conditions made two matches in a day hard work.

Libby Henderson opened the scoring for Cannock after good work in midfield by Sarah Hitchens.

With Cannock dominating, coach Alex Hill was disappointed that a lack of concentration at a short corner allowed a Shrewsbury equaliser.

Cannock were in charge during the second half but missed their opportunities until Emma Smith struck 10 minutes from time.

**Cannock 1 Redditch 2**  
The second game of the day came against a strong Redditch first team with a big squad.

A resolute first-half performance saw Cannock lead 1-0 at half-time thanks to Shannon Deakin. But in the second period Cannock tired and conceded two goals.

**Rangers fight back for draw**

**Lichfield City U9 2**  
**Rugeley Rangers U9 2**  
RUGLEY fought back from two down at half-time to earn a draw.

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# Late goal breathes fire into Dragon game

**Burntwood Dragons U10 2**  
**Lichfield City U10 1**  
A LATE goal from Alex Tisdall gave the Dragons victory in their first game of the new season.

Burntwood went ahead when Nathan Cadman slotted home a rebound from Jack Taylor's effort.

The visitors equalised following a series of set-pieces. But a Taylor free-kick picked out Jack Castro who found Tisdell for the winner.

**Cannock Town Juniors U11 4**  
**Castle Vale JKS Stars U11 1**  
Cannock Town Juniors put in a good performance in their first game of 11-a-side football.

They went ahead inside 10

minutes through Owen Brookes. Castle Vale levelled quickly, but in the second half Cannock went clear with goals by Brookes, Phil McLaughlin and Ben Amos.

**Four Oaks Falcons U11 1**  
**Church Farm U11 2**  
Church Farm made a flying start to their season with an away win.

Goals from Oliver Round and Callum Smith secured the victory.

**Sportsco Saints U12 2**  
**Wyrley Juniors Utd U12 8**  
A game in the balance at 3-2 went the visitors' way with five unanswered goals.

Wyrley goals from Tom Wheelodon and Sam Foreman, either side

## Junior football

of a penalty save by their keeper Jack Addison, put them in charge.

Sportsco got one back before Kieran Thomas made it 3-1, but again the home team found the net.

But Foreman completed his hat-trick, Louie Parrish scored twice and Chase Allen got one.

**Shire Oak Swifts U13 2**  
**Burntwood Dragons Reds U13 3**  
Burntwood had this one down as a tough fixture and were proved correct when the home side took an early lead.

The Reds settled down and began to create chances

with Patrick Owen equalising following good work from Josh Chave. He himself scored to give the Reds a half-time lead.

Burntwood, with no substitutes on the bench, tired in the second half and Shire Oak equalised. But the visitors won it via Connor Grant.

**Heath Hayes U15 2**  
**Hednesford Town U15 4**  
Josh Wilding was twice on target against the junior Pitmen in the opening Division One clash.

**Heath Hayes U15 1 Round Table U15 6**  
Connor Ryan's equaliser against Round Table was his first goal for the club, but Hayes capitulated after gifting a second goal.

**Burntwood Dragons U15 5**  
**Sutton Coldfield Town U15 2**  
After a shaky start, which saw them go behind in the opening minutes, Burntwood took control of the game and led 2-1 at half-time after two goals by Liam Latham.

Dragons controlled the second half with Latham completing his hat-trick and goals from Kieron Tisdell and Ellis Davis Morton.

**Berkswich Hawks U15 0**  
**Rugeley Rangers U15 11**  
New-boy Beckham Fulton scored four goals on debut and there were two apiece for Tom Downes, Chris Alderson and Matty Savic. Scott Gratton also scored.

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# Burntwood denied by last kick of the game

**BURNTWOOD were denied an opening day Midlands Three West (North) win to the new season by the last kick of the game.**

The Edwardians place-kicker kept his nerve to bring the scores level with a penalty goal after the visitors had outscored the hosts by three tries to two.

In truth, Rob Cartwright's men were not at their best against a side determined to make a mark in this division following their championship campaign in the flight below.

They fell behind in the 18th minute and it took them until the 76th minute to get in front only for the Eds' outside-half to earn a share of the spoils five minutes into time added on.

Burntwood began brightly, turning the ball over five metres off the home line in the first five minutes.

**Edwardians 17**  
**Burntwood 17**

Advantage

On 17 minutes, the Eds full-back took advantage of another poor kick, and opened up a seven-point lead.

Then Burntwood kicked for the corner and from the ensuing lineout Graham Shelley fed Hal Gozukuuk for a smartly-taken try after 23 minutes.

Then it was Edwardians who hit back to extend their lead five minutes from half-time.

Early in the second half Burntwood progressed to the home five-metre line with better support play.

The pressure told with not one but two home players sent to the sin bin for infringements close to their own line. However, the determination of the hosts

to cover for the loss of two forwards prevented Burntwood from taking immediate advantage.

The pressure eventually told following a touchline break by Nick Peplow after 63 minutes. When he was caught, Shelley burst away from the ruck and fended off the last tackler for a try wide out. Ben Holt's conversion hit a post.

With Eds restored to their full line-up they tested the visitors' defence but a fortunate penalty award allowed Holt to kick to the corner on 76 minutes. Luke Rookyard found Shelley with his lineout throw and a well-controlled drive to the line was finished off by Gozukuuk for his second try. Holt's conversion helped put his side ahead for the first time.

Just when the home defence looked to have kept out a prolonged Eds attack, a penalty given for a high tackle was successfully converted to herald the whistle.

## Nick's goal is a Wellecombe Cup equaliser

**Chasetown 1**  
**Market Drayton 1**

CHASETOWN had to come from behind with Nick Wellecombe's equaliser in this FA Cup tie.

Drayton's Nick Porter drove a shot high and wide from close range before Shaun Humphries dragged a shot wide of the post. At the other end, Chasetown forced visiting goalkeeper Damian Stevens into two first-half saves.

After the break, it was Drayton who took the lead just after the re-start.

Darryl Proffitt got on the end of a right-wing corner and beat keeper Ryan Price.

Boss Craig Harris made a bold substitution just after the hour mark, replacing experience with youth as Mark Branch gave way to Jono Gould on the left-hand side of midfield.

### Effective

The change proved to be effective as Gould went on to make an immediate impact. Just after coming on, he tried his luck from long range, the ball dipping narrowly over the bar with Stevens stranded.

Gould's introduction livened up the crowd and the arrival of Danny Smith in the 70th minute gave Chasetown a much-needed second boost.

A cross from the right went through to leading goalscorer Wellecombe who reacted quickly and drilled a low shot past Stevens - his fourth goal of the season.

**Chasetown:** Price, Farmer, Jackson, Slater, Bate (Saunders 83), Teesdale, Brown, Downes, Wellecombe, Sullivan (Smith 70), Branch (Gould 61). Subs not used: Richardson, Maguire, Clarke, O'Connell, Evans.

**Market Drayton Town:** Stevens, Jones, Wells, Sweatman, Cohen, Blake, Porter (Cooke 79), Humphries, Ryan (Daniels), Proffitt, Fox. Sub not used: Armstrong.



Nick Wellecombe fires home the equaliser in Chasetown's draw



Wellecombe, who was the joint man of the match with Drayton's Darryl Proffitt, is pictured with his daughter Imogen

## Celts pick up prize of new outfit in contest

**YOUNGSTERS** in two Brereton Celts football teams will look the part this season after winning new kit.

The under-nines and under-10s triumphed in a competition organised by The Hawkesyard Estate, near Lichfield.

Hawkesyard looked for local clubs who felt they deserved a new outfit for the season. There were more than 20 entries but the Celts, based at Hob Hill Primary School, have an ethos of fun, fitness, friendship and football that sealed the decision for the judges.

More than 40 children and parents turned out for the presentation at the Hawkesyard.

Aston Villa winger Marc Albrighton presented the kits before signing shirts for the youngsters.

"It's great to see a local company sponsoring a local team," he said. "If it wasn't for the kind donations, hard work and under-applauded gestures from places such as Hawkesyard, then I for one would never have got as far as I have."

Hawkesyard's golf manager Dan Lowe said they were delighted to sponsor The Celts.

**Shenstone Ladies have six appeal**

**Lichfield City 2**  
**Shenstone Ladies 6**  
SHENSTONE bounced back to win after conceding an early goal.

Lichfield scored after two minutes when they broke down the right and Cooley beat the keeper.

Jodie Kinsey scored an equaliser direct from a corner 10 minutes later and shortly afterwards netted with a superb strike from 20 yards.

Minutes later Sophie Wilding hit the third with Amy Marsh breaking through to lob the goalie from outside the box.

Lichfield were gifted an own goal when a clearance ended up in the net.

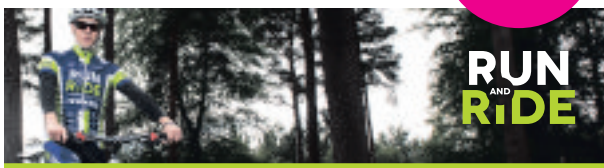
But Wilding hit back to complete her hat-trick with two fine strikes to give Shenstone a comfortable 6-2 lead at the break.

Incredibly, Shenstone hit the woodwork six times in the second half.

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**Brereton Cup Round 1:** Bar Sp 0 Belt Road 4.  
**Premier:** Brereton 2 St Matthews 1; Rugeley Utd 0 Red White & Blue 3; Yates Sports 1 Ridware Oaks.  
**Division 1:** Chase Spartans 1 Jubilee 3; Cheslyn Hay 2 Short Heath Poets 4; Premier Suite 4 Nelson Inn 2.  
**Division 2:** Broomhill 4 The Ascot 1; Colliers Arms 0; Cheslyn Hay Ath 1 Bridge 4; Harrison 2 Lea Hall 7; Hawkins Inex 4 The Ascot 1; Victoria Ath 1.  
**CK Academy 3:** Victoria 8 Mary Rose 0.  
**Division 3:** Winding Wheel 1 Hawkins Sports 4; Cannock & Rugeley 1 Lamb & Flag 3; Crystal Fountain 1 Yew Tree Rvrs 3; Lea Hall Utd 0 T.N.T. 9; Trafalgar 3 Railway 2.  
**Division 4:** Jolly Collier 2 Wyrley Jnrs 3; Brinsford 4 Castle 2; Green Heath 5 Bell & Bottle 2; Woody's FC 0 Hazel Side 1.  
**Division 5:** Nags Head 1 Athleticco Bridge 8; Prairie Farm 1 Jubilee 2.

**Fixtures**  
**Staffs TB Williamson Cup Round 1:** Broomhill Albion v Bush; CK Academy v Red Lion; Cheslyn Hay Ath v Princess Royal; Cheslyn Hay v AC Lion; Crystal Fountain v The Yard; Great Haywood v Bridge; Harrison v Strollers' Reunited; Hawkins Inex v Warstone Wdr Wolves; Lightfield Soc B v Nelson Inn; Oily's v Mary Rose; Rushall (B) v Victoria; Satchmos Greyhound v Colliers Arms; The Ascot v Hawkins Spts; Trent Valley Rvrs v Lea Hall; Victoria Athletic v Bear & Pheasant; New Tree Rvrs v Lightfield DC.  
**Cannock Charity Cup Round 1:** Athleticco Bridge v Railway; Green Heath v Castle.  
**Premier:** Belt Road v Rugeley Utd; Magic Lantern v Ridware Oak; Red White & Blue v Brereton Social Lion; St Matthews v Brereton.  
**Division 1:** Jubilee v Short Heath Poets; Chase Spartans v Bar Sports; The Little v Premier Suite.  
**Division 3:** Lamb & Flag v Winding Wheel; Lea Hall Utd v Cannock & Rugeley; Rugeley Rvrs v Trafalgar.  
**Division 4:** Fern v Jolly Collier; Bell & Bottle v Hope & Anchor; Brinsford v Wyrley Juniors; Cannock Social v Woody's; Hazel Side v Easington.  
**Division 5:** Bridgtown Soc v Prairie Farm; Hen House v The Cow; Jubilee v Piper; Nags Head v White Hart Rvrs.

New goalie  
can't keep  
Wyrley out

**Wyrley Juniors 2**  
**AFC Wombourne Utd 1**  
 WITH neither of their recognised goalkeepers available, Paul Holden took the No.1 shirt for Wombourne against in-form Wyrley Juniors and was powerless as the home side took the lead through Nathaniel Hare in the 17th minute.  
 Wombourne equalised towards the end of the half when Curtis Ellis crossed for Jack Johnson to score following some good work by Simon Laidley.  
 Just into the second half, Wombourne conceded a free-kick which was well-placed into the top corner by Danny Dolman to give Wyrley back the lead. However, Graham Ashton had a couple of chances to level the score in the dying minutes of the game only to send both his headers wide of the target.

**Premier League**  
 RED, White and Blue had the flag flying with a 3-0 win over Rugeley United. Kieran Northwood hit two with one from Dan Edge.  
 Ridware Oak beat Yates Sports 3-1 with a double from James Russel and one for Dave Jones.  
 Brereton Town beat St Matthews 2-1 thanks to a double from Pete Glawdin.

**Division One**  
 FC Premier Suite went top after beating Nelson Inn 4-2. James Moore bagged two with Phil Bowater also on the mark.  
 AFC Jubilee beat Chase Spar-

## Cannock Chase League

tans 3-1 with goals from Ryan Timmins, Craig Baker and Sam Cunningham. Short Heath beat Cheslyn Hay 4-2.  
**Division Two**  
 Victoria beat Mary Rose 8-0. Leaders Broomhill Albion thrashed Colliers Arms 11-0. Substitute Kyle Linford scored a hat-trick while Lee Millington and Asa Wright hit two each.  
 CK Academy beat Victoria Athletic 3-1, Dan Lomas bagging two.  
 Hawkins Inex came from one down to beat The Ascot 4-1. Lee

Walker added one each. Trafalgar beat Railway 3-2 with a double from Dan Bagalowski and one from Mark Griffin.

Lamb & Flag beat Cannock & Rugeley 3-1. Mark Reynolds levelled the scores before Matt Harper and Ian Baxter won it.  
 Yew Tree beat Crystal Fountain 3-1. Hawkins Sports beat Winding Wheel 4-1. Danny Chapman bagged two and Mark Wrapple and James Jones added one each.

**Division Four**  
 Green Heath beat Bell & Bottle, 5-2. Rob Meachem, Arron Evans, Ash Gill and a double from Ben

Pugh were the Heath scorers.

Wyrley Juniors beat Jolly Collier 3-2. Josh Griffiths levelled, Matt Mosley got the second equaliser and Josh Bradley notched the winner. Adam Green, scored late on for Hazel Slade as they beat Woodys 1-0.

**Division Five**  
 Athleticco Bridge went top after beating Nags Head 8-1. There were doubles for Andy Roger Hinks, Jordan Holmes and Liam Price with Mark Ellison and Phil Hale adding one each. Jubilee beat Prairie Farm 2-1 with a goal each for Tom Yapp and Lee Forester.

Relegation  
battle still  
a priority  
after draw

**Evesham 292-8,**  
**Cannock 287-7. Draw**  
 CANNOCK'S failure to win a delicately-poised game means that they still have work to do to avoid joining Evesham in relegation from Birmingham League Division Two.  
 Evesham chose to bat first but lost their first three wickets for just 25 runs. Hassan Khalid (113) and Sandeep Kumar (87) then shared a fourth-wicket partnership of 207 which enabled the visitors to reach 292-8. Andy Hawkins (5-88) and Ed Fleet (3-50) shared the wickets.

A second-wicket partnership of 97 between Mike Stevenson (48) and Sean Collings gave the home team the start they wanted.

Collings went on to score his first ton for Cannock and had a brace of sixes and 10 fours in his 109.

Will Fleet (51) offered support as Cannock eased towards a victory, but as the light fell and Evesham tightened their bowling Cannock fell just six runs short of what would have been a remarkable win.

Hopes still  
high as last  
game nears

**Penkridge 246,**  
**Stourbridge 211-7. Draw**  
 PENKRIDGE still have promotion hopes, despite this draw against fellow-contenders Stourbridge.  
 They are fourth, but can still go up to Birmingham League Division Two if they win their last game, and other results go their way.  
 Penkridge's innings was built on good contributions from Rana Hassan (57) and Laeq Chishti (70), but late wickets saw them go for 246.  
 Stourbridge were in trouble at 37-3 with Roger Weston taking all the wickets. But Alexander was given three lives in his knock of 79 which led to the draw.

**Brewdow 190, Penkridge 192-5.**  
**Penkridge won by five wickets**  
 Penkridge seconds could still finish runners-up in their division.

Rich James took 4-33 and Gary Pope 4-46 as Brewdow were dismissed for 190.

Penkridge struggled to 38-3, but a fine partnership between Andy Lawson (65) and in-form Rob Lawrence (86) led them to victory.

A MAN of the match performance by Nathan  
Woolfe saw Hednesford ease through this FA  
Cup first round qualifying tie.

Woolfe's two well-executed goals, one in either half, helped beat Redditch United in summer sunshine and take the Pitmen through to an away tie with Nuneaton Griff.  
 The visitors went into the game as favourites but Redditch acquitted themselves in the first 20 minutes, with both teams trading chances in an absorbing game.

Ex-Pitman Mark Danks skewed his shot wide after cutting in from the right wing for the home side on three minutes before Neil Harvey twice brought the best out of Niall Cooper in the Redditch goal, as the visitors continued to threaten.  
 Connor Deards skipped past Ben Bailey and raced towards Dan Crane's goal only to side-foot wide of the post on 18 minutes.

**Superiority**  
 As the half wore on, the Pitmen's technical superiority began to show with Neil Harvey and Sean O'Connor working hard in attack, ably assisted by Woolfe and Elliott Durrell.

Jamey Osborne should have scored when he latched onto a long ball from Crane but couldn't quite elevate his lob over Cooper and O'Connor headed Durrell's second wonder, when he should have hit the target.

Woolfe saw a superbly executed left-footed volley parried by Cooper before Dave MacPherson crossed, after quality build-up play on the right wing for Woolfe to arrow a left-footed half-

Redditch 0  
Hednesford T 3

volley into the far corner on 39 minutes.

Woolfe played a clever one-two with Harvey and, this time with his weaker right foot, scored. Durrell added a third just after the hour mark. Rob Smith's team were in a position to relax a little over the course of the final 20 minutes.

The Pitmen supporters were left to dream of possible bigger games to come in further rounds; the manager will simply look at concentrating on the second round tie before the bigger fish from the Blue Square North and South come into the draw.

**Redditch United:** Cooper, Stringfellow, Charlton, Midworth, Fannegen, Bridgewater, Cresswell, Richards, Danks (Agbonlahor 63), Deards (Wilding 63), McDonald.  
**Subs not used:** Clarke, Quaynor.

**Hednesford Town:** Crane, Disney, Campion, Bailey, Francis, MacPherson (Baines 69), Osborne, Durrell (Clarke 69), Harvey, O'Connor (Lennon 59), Woolfe.  
**Subs not used:** Melbourne, Rey, Dunley, Shearer.



Ben Bailey threatens from a set-piece during Hednesford's comfortable cup victory

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win after  
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**Rugeley 22 Wednesbury 19**  
 RUGELEY seconds welcomed Wednesbury to St Augustine's field and their newly-refurbished home and emerged with a narrow win.

The visitors piled on the early pressure, but Rugeley held firm and opened the scoring via fly-half David Bagnall.

Wednesbury appeared to lose some discipline and Bagnall ran in a second try, this one converted by Adam Grocott for a 12-0 interval lead.

Wednesbury regrouped with a converted try.

Rugeley made some changes and brought on veteran Steve Keys. But an error saw Wednesbury take the lead with another converted try.

However, hooker John Cliffe grabbed a try and the conversion left Rugeley 19-14 up.

Wednesbury levelled five minutes from time, but the home pressure told when a penalty was conceded under the posts and Grocott duly notched the winning kick.

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## Winning start for Rugeley

**Rugeley 49 Stourport 7**  
RUGELEY got their Midlands Five West (North) season off to a winning start. The forwards dominated throughout and the first points were on the board within five minutes.

Nathan Homer ran in two first-half scores with Michael Wilkes and Andrew Morecock all crossing.

All four were converted by scrum-half Jordan Wood to leave his side 28-0 up at half-time.

The second period started much the same as the first with Rugeley out-playing the opposition.

James Richer, new to the first team, had an outstanding game and scored one try after running the length of the park.

Veteran flanker Nick Lions also crossed the line twice and Wood landed three more conversions.

Stourport seemed certain to suffer a whitewash, but sprang to life in the blazing September sunshine to score a converted try under the posts.

Next week the first team are at home to Aldridge. Meet at The Vine, 12.30pm. **Second team - Page 91**

## Tiegen back on the water

**BURNTWOOD** power-boatier Tiegen Goodfellow is back on the water this weekend.

The 10-year-old heads to The National Watersports Centre in Nottingham to take part in a series of support races for the final round of the F2 world championship over Saturday and Sunday.

Goodfellow is hoping her JPL team-mate Malcolm Goodman can improve on his recent silver medal position in Italy.

The following weekend, Goodfellow will be at Stewarby in Bedfordshire in the last race of the GT15 national championship.

## Victors Cannock to host T20 final

CANNOCK Cricket Club host the T20 Finals on Sunday at 10am, having beaten Stafford in their final league game.

Richie Hewitt made 70 and Sean Collings 53 in a total of 193-4. Despite the efforts of Dave Foster (62) and Tom Sturkey (38), the visitors finished on 185-7.

The semi-finals see Cannock face Penkridge and Milford Hall tackle Brewood.



Winner David Haycox, right, with Andy Richardson

## Tournament family fortunes

FORTUNE was certainly on the side of one family as Cannock Tennis Club served up its annual open singles tournament.

The semi-final last weekend was dominated by Brewster Tennis Club's Haycox family. They produced three semi-finalists - father David and sons Adam and Charlie.

Adam Haycox played Andy Richardson, losing to him 6-4 in a closely-fought contest. His father David then triumphed over son Charlie 6-3. David then took the singles title by defeating Andy Richardson 6-3 in the final.

### Cannock Tennis Club

He was then presented with a trophy and a bottle of bubbly to help him celebrate his success.

The event on Sunday saw players compete in a round robin format with the four players who amassed the most games then progressing to the semi-finals.

Andy Richardson, who plays for Cannock, was the winner of the round robin group stage amassing 29 points.

The annual Cannock Tennis Club

open doubles Championship is due to be held on Sunday, September 23.

Couples who are interested in taking part must book a place by ringing Richardson on 07866 212026.

The club play on three astro courts based at the Cannock Cricket and Hockey Club, in Church Lane, Hather-ton.

The club's doubles A team play in Division Two South, while the B team play in Division Six South.

For more information about the club visit [www.cannocktennis.co.uk](http://www.cannocktennis.co.uk)

## Egan hits hat-trick of wins as a pro

CANNOCK'S Dave Egan remains unbeaten with his third professional victory, beating Paul Samuels' son at the HMV Institute in Birmingham.

The former Chasetown footballer went across the West Midlands to go in with Jerome Samuels, the 19-year-old son of heavy-hitting veteran Paul.

Samuels replaced another Welshman, Joe Smith, last Saturday night. Smith was not cleared by the British Boxing Board of Control in time to fight.

Egan had bemoaned the spoiling tactics of his two opponents, Matt Seawright and Danny Donchev, where he picked up his first two points shut-outs.

But Samuels was sturdy and worked from a rigid base which invited pressure from Egan, who chipped away at the teenager to force openings.

### Stiff

Such pressure saw Egan break through with, perhaps, his best shot as a pro so far, a stiff right-hook that forced young Samuels on to the back foot.

All of the time, Egan was the busier of the two and, although he couldn't force a finish before the four rounds expired, it was a sound display.

The 29-year-old accepted the decision from the referee, Dudley's Shaun Messer, by 40-36 and has yet to drop a round as a pro.

However, Egan's next date has been scrubbed.

He was due to fight at Wolverhampton Civic Hall on September 28, but the whole bill has been cancelled after headliner Jason Welborn pulled out.

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# BRANCH LAYS ROOTS FOR FA CUP DREAMS

**MARK BRANCH'S extra-time penalty finally saw Chasetown over their FA Cup hurdle against Market Drayton.**

The Scholars' reward is a long trip to Norfolk a week on Saturday to face Dereham Town, *writes Paul Mullins.*

Branch hadn't been named in Chasetown's original starting XI on Tuesday, but was pressed into action when Matt Jackson suffered an injury in the pre-match warm-up.

The opening exchanges of this replay proved more entertaining than Saturday's first tie with both sides trying to take the game by the scruff of its neck.

The home side drew first blood in the 27th minute. A neat passing movement resulted in Shaun Humphries putting the Shropshire side ahead.

Chasetown responded well and were a whisker away from an equaliser in the 35th minute when Danny Smith rattled the Market Drayton crossbar.

### Ascendancy

But the Scholars were level just two minutes later. Nick Wellecome flicked the ball on and Smith unleashed a fierce shot which Damian Stevens got across to, but was unable to keep out.

Chasetown were in the ascendancy at the start of the second half and almost made it 2-1 when Danny Smith's deflected shot was tipped onto the bar by Stevens.

Goalscorer Humphries drove a shot inches over Ryan Price's crossbar, but it was Chasetown mainly on top in the second half.

The sides were still locked at 1-1 at 90 minutes, but it took Chasetown just two minutes into extra-time to score what proved to be the winner.

### Market Drayton 1 Chasetown 2 (aet, full-time 1-1)

Simon Brown burst into the penalty area and, as he went past Stevens, was upended by the keeper. The referee had no hesitation in pointing to the spot and then flashed an inevitable red card at Stevens.

Mattie Cohen, who had taken over in goal for Chasetown in a cup tie last season, went between the posts for Market Drayton but Branch coolly slotted the penalty past the stand-in keeper.

Scholars substitute Tyrone Clarke-O'Connell forced a terrific save.

Wellecome headed just wide from another Clarke-O'Connell cross, but despite being a man down, Market Drayton almost forced a penalty shoot-out when Price was pressed into a finger-tip save to keep out Humphries and then another effort, low to his left at his near post.

**Market Drayton Town:** Stevens, Jones, Wells (Armstrong 112), Sweatman, Cohen, Blake, Porter (Cooke 75), Humphries, Ryan (Daniels 70), Profitit, Fox. **Unused sub:** Pryce.

**Chasetown:** Price, Farmer, Branch, Slater, Downes, Teesdale, Brown, Saunders (Westwood 95), Wellecome, Smith (Sullivan 79), Maguire (Clarke-O'Connell 70). **Unused subs:** Richardson, Gould, Jackson, Evans.

Attendance: 125.



Simon Brown is brought down by Damian Stevens for the crucial penalty



Danny Smith celebrates his goal for Chasetown in their FA Cup replay success

## Caribbean call-up for striker Neil

HEDNESFORD TOWN striker Neil Harvey has been called up to the Barbados squad to participate in the Digicel Caribbean Championship later this month.

The striker, signed from Marine in pre-season, has made a strong start in Hednesford, scoring three goals in six starts.

He has already become a fan-favourite through his barnstorming performances and Usain Bolt celebration after netting against Blyth Spartans.

"It will be an honour for me to represent my country at the tournament and with my parents and sister still living in Barbados, I'm really looking forward to it," he said.

"Rob Smith (manager) has been very understanding about the call-up."

"Playing in games with thousands of spectators will be a great buzz."

Harvey will be absent from The Pitmen's fixtures between September 19 and early October but with Sean O'Connor, Aaron Rey and Michael Lennon already making impressive starts to the season he is confident the team can cope until his return.

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